
suman Two killed in Preston blaze


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Father, daughter die in late-night fire


An unidentified male, who witnesses
said was the boyfriend of Angela Shahan, was transported by ambulance to Preston
Memorial Hospital, then to West Penn Burn Center in Pittsburgh, to receive treat-
ment for smoke inhalation, authorities said. The fire was reported at $10: 18 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. noon Saturday because of the of extent of the blaze, Ayersman said. He said
crews had to use a backhoe to clear away debris that had fallen in on the Destroyed with the house were to vehicles parked nearby, he said.
Ayersman said that two 55 -gallon drums of oil located near the outside of the home, high winds at the time of
the fire and flammable items in the the fire and flammable items in the
structure's interior helped contribute structure's interior helped contribute
to the severity of the blaze. When fire-

'I do this to make a memory'


Blankenship, Roberts square off in televised debate
President of Massey Energy, UMW president discuss election, union mine jobs
$\qquad$ Energy Co. and the United Mine Workers of America started off a televised debate by agreeing that they don't have much in common. And they were unable to find much common ground
through the rest of a program to be aired Sunday.
"UMW President Cecil Roberts said he would "pray that that wasn't true" that he had any sim-
ilarities with Massey's Don L. Blankenship, and the head of West Virginia's largest coal producer didn't protest. "I would agree with Cecil," Blankenship
said. "And I hope his prayers are answered." said. "And I hope his prayers are answered."
Blankenship and Roberts had their strongest disagreement over Blankenship's role in November's election. Blankenship contributed $\$ 2.46$ million to a nonparty political group called And For
the Sake of the Kids which helped Republican the Sake of the Kids which helped Republican
challenger Brent Benjamin oust incumbent
state Supreme Court justice Warren McGraw. "There was a total misrepresentation during, Roberts said on an advance copy of the West Virginia Media program obtained by The Associated Press. "There was the creation of this organization
that they called For the Sake of the Kids. that they called For the Sake of the Kids.
"Many people in the state actually thought this was an organization to help kidds. But it should was an organization to help kids. But it should
have been called For the Sake of Don Blankenship, and that would have been more proper title." SEE DEBATE, 2-A

## Trials get under way in Iraq

Judges interrogate notorious ‘Chemical Ali'

## STRONG SHIITE POLLING raises

 questionsPage 3-A

Associated Press BAGHDAD, Iraq - Iraqi judges interrogated the notorious genera dam's former defense minister Saturday, opening the first phase in trials for the ousted dictator's top deputies. Insurgents, meanwhile
wounded four Americans with roadside bomb.
Sultan Hashim Ahmad, Saddam's last defense chief, and Ali Hassan al-Majid-who earned his nickname for
his alleged use of chemical weapons against Kurds and others - were the first of the 11 jailed figures who are facing trial for crimes during the regime's three decades in power.
The two were questioned by panel of investigative judges in a hearing attended by their lawyers, said Raad al-Juhyi, the head of the panel.
The hearing was closed to the The hearing was closed to the press.
Interim Iraqi Prime Minister Ayad Allawi said Tuesday that detained leaders of Saddam's toppled regime would start appearing before court in

## Pump war at

 Va. gas stations draws customersAssociated Press
NARROWS, Va. - A gas
war is being waged along US war is being waged along U.S.
460 in far southwest Virginia where unleaded regular is being
pumped at $\$ 1.449$ a gallon.
"They're cutting each others throat as quick as they can ge to the pump to cut it," Chri
Farrell said of his neighborin combatants. "They re us." At Farrell's Narrows Exxon, regular unleaded gas is $\$ 1.759$
The price war is between the Super Val-U convenienc
store next to Farrell's statio and the new Liberty store.
Both stores are selling unlead ed for less than $\$ 1.50$ a gallon. across the West Virginia line 15 miles away and elsewhere, some times lining up three and fou cars deep, for the cheap gas.
"The bottom line is we'rel ing on it," said Jerry Mancuso He said his neighbor bega underpricing him in October ing Liberty's price.

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## MEMORY

Deaner doesn't know how Deaner doesn't know how
the original Bunker, another of the long-gone but oncte-thriv
ing mining communities, got ing mining communities, got named after the Bunker Hill
across the road.
1922, was sold several times, ending up in possession of Christopher was later bought out by Consolidation Coal Co now CONSOL Energy.)
Her stacks of scrapb) nclude newspaper clippings about the 1951 Bunker mine explosion, in which 10 people died. The clipping notes that 250 Two pay stubs fill one page ndicating what life was like
A 1949 slip shows the miner earned $\$ 14.05$. Of that, $\$ 9.41$ wen for union dues, $\$ 1$ for the doctor 4 cents for Social Security and $\$ 1.50$ for coal for heating. Total the 1954 stub from Trotter
The Co. Bunker mine showe
some improvement. For one-half month, in June, the miner was
paid $\$ 200.75$, plus $\$ 100$ in vacation pay.
She has photographs of the
Carnegie Medal presented to Anna Rebecca Quinn by Elean Roosevelt. Quinn's husband, orward Guy Quinn, died trying ing in a 1943 explosion at Pur glove No. 15 mine. A shift foreman, he was unable to reach the The unofficia The unofficial historian for grew and grew through the years. "I like pictures," Deaner said, urning the pages of one album o display old portraits of her
ancestors. The collections ncestors. The collections she became involved with the University High School and Cassville School reunions. "We had to have something how our schoolmates to keep just started all this.' Noted author Ray Bradbury alls collections such as hers Deaner has a Deaner has a simpler term


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## DEBATE

Blankenship said there was nothing improper about his contributions. "As far as being involved in the Benjamin campaign, business wassonally. There's plenty of people around in the trial attorney sector that have a lot more money than I have, and they have every individ-
ual right under the Constitution to exercise their freedom of speech," he said. "And if they chose to do that,
they could spend $\$ 10$ million. Theres they could spend $\$ 10$ million. There's
plenty of them around that have plenty of them around that have
plenty to spend. plenty to spend. "All we did was let people know what the facts were and they made
their decision on that basis," he said. "And I think we got the correct result for West Virginia." Roberts suggested that a public
auction might be a more fair way to decide Supreme Court seats. "That makes more sense than what he did in this election," he said. "I think it's obscene, I think it's
ridiculous and I think it was totally unfair what he did."
after a community impact board report said Massey has a "moral laid off after the owner of the Cannelton mine in Kanawha County went bankrupt. Massey bought the idled mine from bankrupt Horizon Natura resumed production at the renamed Mammoth Coal Co. mine. In August, a U.S. bankruptcy judge in Kentucky agreed with Hor
zon's claim that selling its mine zon's claim that selling its mines
with union contracts in place would hurt their marketability and ruled that $\$ 800$ million in health insurance and pension obligations could
be dropped. be dropped.
to hire the laid-off workers, but Blankenship said union workers offered jobs have been the subject of
hreats.
"The problem is that we've had five or six people that we've offered jobs to from the union panel at and actually that have had threats death and chosen threatened with work because of that," Blanken ship said.
approaches things. People are afraid of the union. The union no longer benefits and positiveness, they threat en people into trying to make them join the union and to discourage hem from coming to work."
Roberts replied that "there's not word of that that's true." "there's not Robert pointed out that Blankenship has publicly spoken about the dearth of experienced miners in the industry, and mocked Massey's cam-banner-towing planes over Myrtle Beach, S.C. "I don't know who in the world laying on the beach in South Carolina work in a coal mine in West Virginia," he said.
Roberts alleged that Massey is unwilling to hire the worke because of their union roots. people are not being given the opportunity to go to work at what his now calling Mammoth Coal Co.," Roberts said. "There's two reasons for that: One is their union background and he other is their age." aims "hogwash," saying he had
once been a union member himself once been a union member himself,
and that a majority of his employees and that a majority of his employees
may have been union members in the past. threatened at the mine pointing out that a close friend of his works there and has not been threatened. Roberts wondered how that could happen if union members were threatened. "I haven't said that you do equa threatening," Blankenship said. "I haven t saids."
equal basis." we threaten some
"Why would people and not other?", Roberts asked.,"It just doesn't make any "You all do a lot of things that donkenship said.
The debate, moderated by West Virginia Media Holdings Presi-
dent and Chief Executive Officer dent and Chief Executive Office,
Bray Cary, is to be on the network's "Decision Makers" program, airs at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. on WOWK WTRF-TV in Wheeling, WVNS-TV burg. The debate was recorded Thursday

## Bin Laden says al-Qaida aiming at U.S. economy


"Concentrate your operations on that especially in Iraq and the Gulf",
It was believed to be the first time a purported bin Laden tape in effect called for attacks on the oil
industry. But he has flaunted the
economic theme before, recalling in his most recent video how Afghan mujahedeen "bled Russia for 10
years, until it went bankrupt" and
the size of its budget deficit - which peaked at $\$ 413$ billion last year. Security and terrorism experts
suggest bin Laden's claims of under-

CLARIFICATIONS

## Dear Abby

Drunk, wheelchair driving man to be homeless soon.

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however, a correction or clarification will be published in this space. Errors should be
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the flexible, market-driven U.S. economy is a far cry from the creaky,
bureaucratic Soviet giant that dis-

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## Three more arrested in costly Md. arson

Fires caused $\$ 10$ million in damage
was upset by the way he more people were arrested Satur- had been treated by his employer day in connection with the largest residential arson in Maryland history, a collection of blazes that caused $\$ 10$ million in damage to opment near a nature preserve. The three men were arrested early Saturday, federal and loca
officials said. They would no immediately discuss a possible motive. The U.S. attorney's office in Baltimore identified the men as Washington; Jeremy Danie Parady, 20, of Accokeek; and Michael McIntosh Everhart, 20, of Waldort. In a recorded message spokeswhad been charged with arson. "We're 100 percent sure that he is innocent," said a man who home and identified himself only as Walsh's father. Charges earlier were filed against a security guard who told The Dec. 6 fires at the Hunter Brooke development destroyed 10 houses and damaged 16 other Many of the houses were still under construction. The fires broke out almost simultaneously tigators to believe, leading inves one person may have been respon Sible.
On Friday, Aaron L. Speed, 21, who worked at the development for Security Services of America,
appeared in court on a charge of appeared in court on a charge of employer did not show enough sympathy after his infant son died
this year , this year, according to court doc
uments. uments Speed came under suspicion and telling investigators he was home in bed when a colleague phoned to tell him of the fires, the call went through a cell phone tower closer to the scene, accord ing to court documents.

Strong Shiite polling raises concern about Iraq's future

Theocracy similar to Iran could emerge
BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) - A by Iraq's top Shiite cleric and fea resounding Shiite victory in next turing a wide range of Iraqi ethnic closer to Tehran, forming a "Super Iran" that could change the face of he Middle East, critics say. But others discount such claims diverse country of Shiites, Sun nis, Kurds and Christians, will never let any outside player, paricularly Iran's hard-line religiou theocracy, dictate its future.
Views vary dramatically what shape Iraq's political future will take following nationwide elections scheduled for Jan. 30, but few dispute that this Shiite-majority country's relations with its eastern neighbor
-which is ruled by Shiite ayatollahs - will grow closer. "Welcome to the new Iraq, this is the reality of Iraq where the majority are Shiite," said National Secu-
rity adviser Mouwaffaq alrity adviser Mouwaffaq al-Rubaie,
a candidate on the 228 -member Unit ed Iraqi Alliance coalition embraced

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## FIRE <br> \section*{Frompage}

fighters from Reedsville, Kingwood and Masontown arrived at
the scene, there was simply "too the scene, there was simply "to
much fire to put out," he said. The cause of the fire is
unknown, but it is not considered unknown, but it is not considered
to be of suspicious origin, Ayersman said. He said the boyfriend may be able to help investigators determine how the fire began. may have entered the home in an effort to rescue her father, but Ayersman could not confirm this
was the case. He said crews found was the case. He said crews found
the two bodies about eight feet the two bodies about eight feet
away from each other. way from each other
and mentor of Angela Shahan, said it would have been in the young woman's character to put
her life in danger to save the life of another. "She had the most awesome spirit. She was giving, loving," aid Everly, project leader for the 4-H Lenox Loyal Workers.
Shahan, a senior at Preston High School, was an active 4-H member. This summer, a story about her 4 -H lamb project Dogs killed two animals she had raised for the Buckwheat Festival shortly before the event was to take place.
Members of the local agriculture community stepped in and enabled Angela to buy two new sheep, which she entered into the conest at the last minute. said recalling the incident. She said that was Angela's approach to everything in life.
Everly said she watched Angela grow from "a gangly 8 Angela grow froti a gangly 8 pledge to a young woman who
would teach the pledge to oth-


Firefighters (above) finish up their work at the scene of a fatal fire on Arthur Smith Road near Reedsville. A fathe and daughter died in the blaze and a third male was burned and transported to West Penn Burn Center. Angela Shahan (below) was featured last summer in an article in The Dominion Post after dogs killed sheep she raised
as a 4 -H project. Shahan was killed Friday night in a Preston County house fire.
ers. Shahan also taught tap danc ers. Shahan also taught tap dance Evere, Everly said Shahan's parents
Everly were divorced, but she was close to
both of them. She said Shahan learned woodworking skills from her father and
sold her handiwork to benefit the sold her handiwork to benefit the
American Cancer Society. American Cancer Society.
Jeanette Shahan, an aunt, sai that Angela Shahan was planning to attend Fairmont State Univer
sity next fall sity next fall.
Funeral arrangements for Ear Funeral arrangements for Ear
and Angela Shahan are being made at Rotruck-Lobb Funeral Homes in Kingwood.

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| In 1840 Jacksonville (now Cassville) had a polling place in Monongalia County. | In 1852 - <br> Town of Jacksonville renamed Cassville when post office is established in Cass District. | In 1854 - <br> Michael Courtney built a house in Stumptown, later named Pursglove. | In 1886 Cassville is largest town in district, with three stores, a carriage factory and a hotel. | In 1897 - <br> More than 1,000 persons attend a Maccabees picnic on Sept. 4 at Cassville. | In 1906 - <br> Morgantown \& Dunkard Valley Railway Co. plans to built tracks through Cassville to Mannington. | In 1912 - <br> Scotts Run and Cores Run flooding on July 24 causes damage to homes and | In 1913 - <br> Ten oil wells drilled near Cassville boost railroad freight business. | In 1918 <br> County Infirmary moved from near Cassville to new building at The Flatts, near Evansdale. | In 191 <br> Cass Dis approves $\$ 300,00$ bond iss construc of three highways |
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| Historical in by John | mation sell | In 1883 County poor house built a half mile from Cassville. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { In } 1887 \text { - Toll } \\ & \text { gates removed } \\ & \text { from Dunkard } \\ & \text { Valley Turnpike, } \\ & \text { now part of } \\ & \text { W.Va. } 7 . \end{aligned}$ | In 1911 - In December, the trolley from Morgantown to Cassville had 18,068 paying customers. |  | In 1916 - First passenger train moves through area on track extended to Price, six miles from west of Cassville. |  | In 1924 - Bus service begins to Cassville and Pu glove by White Star Lines. |  |


house in Jere.

## Mining for coal part of history

by Janet L. METZNER

One-room shanty homes once in Pursglove, Jere and Cassville Those homes are long gone, but the memories of last century's residents. "Times were rough during "Times were rough during
that time," said Joe Kun, former Jere resident and coal
miner for 50 years. He retired in 1994. Kun's father was a miner for 36 years. "Sometimes the mines week.. Of course, we raised a garweek. Of course, we raised a ga ens, ducks, geese, turkey and pigeons, Kun said, recalling his
childhood growing up in the coal communityood growing up in the coal community of Jere - named for
Jerre H. Wheelwright, president Jerre H. Wheelwright, president
of Consolidation Coal Co. in 1919 Scotts Run, along W.V.a. 7 is historically known as the site of the most intensive coal development in the industry from World War I until the Great
Depression. The peak period w Depression. The peak period w Phil Ross in the "West Virginia

History" journal, Volume 53. During the boom, there were
60 mines in what was known as the Scotts Run field. The field is on the eastern out
crop of the Pittsburgh coal seam crop of the Pittsburgh coal seam,
which underlies a large area of western Pennsylvania, eastern Ohio and northern and central
West Virginia. West irginia.
There are few
today.
Lifelong Cassville resident Joe Vasil retired from under ground coal mining in 1977, and
then worked 16 years for the U.S Postal Service, ending as Cassville postmaster.
"It was a hard life, but "It was a hard life, but a
goo, clean life for the families.
Everyone got along good back good, clean life for the families then," he said.
Mary Vasil is married to Joe
Vasil. Back then, she said Vasil. Back then, she said,
"they all skimped and saved. But the communities were close. "A lot of people worked
together in those days. If your neighbor needed
Before the United Mine
Workers union Workers union began repre-
senting Scotts Run miners, it senting Scotts Run miners, it
was a tough way to earn a liv ing, Joe Vasil said.

## Small churches have big mission

## BY ERIC BOWEN

Focusing on ministries and outreach programs, the churches
in Pursglove, Jere and Cassville aim to serve a community broad er than their congregations. The
churches may be small, but they churches may be small, but they
see themselves as having a large see themselves as having a larger
mission of helping people in need.

## St. Stephen Baptist

Through the years, St. Stephen
Baptist has served as a haven for people escaping floods, and a gath ering place for miners' families, th Rev. Russell Medley said. After explosions or cave-nss at the mines
families would congregate there to find out if their loved ones had died. The church has 200 members, with an active congregation of
about 25 people, Medley said. The church is setting up five ministries including a program to help con-
victs when they get out of prison, and a weekly hot-meal program. Medley's wife, Sylvia, who
serves as assistant pastor, also serus Morning Glory Ministries,
ruhich focus its efforts on ing children pursue music or sports. To accomplish its mission
Morning Glory has purchased several instruments children can use in school music programs.
The organization has also award ed small grants for children to pa for school sports equipment, and
for the past two years, handed out No $\$ 500$ college scholarships. has damage from mine subsidence, Medley said, church volun teers have begun building a new
sanctuary. He said the church sanctuary. as a center to teach people about entrepreneurship, and possibly turn it into a museum identifyins ts place as part of a wide netwo
of black churches in the state. "The idea is to establish a historical trail of different black hurches that have been in the area," Medley said. "We could use
it as a museum and hopefully collect data to make that happen."
Cassville United Methodist Church With an active membership of
about 50 people, Cassville United Methodist Church recently became much more visible when several houses along the road in Tront of the church were removed parking lot for members and is renovating the church to
light its historical roots.


The Rev. Ron London, pastor o sits on his Golden Wing Honda.

The Rev. Ken London, the pastor, said the church is part of a
four-church charge that includes congregations in Pleasant Valley, congregations in Pleasant Valley,
Buckeye and Fort Martin. London is an itinerant preacher, giving sermons at the church on a rotat-
ing schedule. On the weekends when London doesn't preach, the congregation
holds services with the choir and holds services with the choir and
a lay speaker. He said the Sunday a lay speaker. He said the Sunday
school has also been a center for the church when the pastor is not its efforts on younger members. "One of the things that they try to focus on is young people in
the area," London said. "We'll try the area," London said. "We'll try
to teach them about the Christian faith and how to live a Christian life in the midst of our world." According to longtime church
member Kathryn Roussau the member Kathryn Roussau, the
church's heyday was during high times for mining operations. The church membership has declined since then, but has a steady con-
gregation that comes to worship. Roussau said church members are active in the community, sup porting a food bank, collecting clothing, and helping people whose
property has been damaged by fires St. Ursula Food Pantry and Outreach When St. Ursula Catholic Church four years ago the parishglove community lost its sole house of worship.


Anne Horne, office assistant, and Suzanne Kenney, director of St. Ursula's Outreach and Food Pantry, receive food at the pantry.


The Rev. Russell Medley


## Jere residents have town pride

by ERIC bOWEN
$\frac{\text { The Dominion Post }}{\text { When Charlie Dulin came to }}$ live in Jere in 1938, it was a thriving mining town tied to the
rhythms of extracting coal from rhythms of extracting coal from
the mountains above Pursglove. Like many mining towns, it
went into decline along with the went into decline along with the
coal industry, but the 79 -year-old coal industry, but the 79-year-old
Dulin and other Jere residents Dulin and other Jere reside
still recall its storied past. "It was a shaggy looking place,
I'll tell you," Dulin said of Jere during the Depression years. "They had dirt roads when I
moved here. The houses were moved here."
shagyy too." houses were
Dulin's family arrived in Jer when he was 13 , and his father went to work in the No. 2 mine in
Pursglove. Dulin followed his Pursglove. Dulin followed his
father underground for the next nine years, shoveling tillage, placing timber, pumping water and finally running coal cars back and forth to the mine open-
ing. day while riding the coal cars and directing them throughout the
mine, Dulin fell and got caught mine, Dulin fell and got caught
between two cars, though he can between two cars, though he ca
out without any permanent
injuries.
Initially Dulin had trouble adjusting to the deep darkness of the mine with only a lamp on his
cap to guide him. But he said it wasn't bad once he had worked there for a while. mine," he said. "After a couple weeks you got used to it." Jere drew in Palmer Menear since 1927, when he was 5 years old. He remembers losing part of his hand in a childhood accident not far from where he lives now.
A friend accidentally cut off his thumb and forefinger with an ax while chopping wood.
Despite his handicap, Menea spent much of his life working for railroad companies, then
constructing state roads. He said he loves his longtime home"It can't be any better," Menear said. "I'd be lost if I had to leave here,".
lere took a hit when the min started closing. Dulin was laid off and went to work in a bottle factory, mo
ing from boxing bottles to
checking them for faults before
they were shipped. He then went to work laying tile and
hanging cabinets for Paul Kap hanging cabinets for Paul Kap
nicky's store. nicky sptore.
Kapnicky's family owned the store from 1924, and Kapnicky
took it over in 1953. The store took it over in 1953. The store closed in 1978, but Kapnicky maintained the
Jere until 1989
Kapnicky sold the building in 1998 after a fire burned much of the building. It was rebuilt, and now houses apartments.
Kapnicky also owned Moun Kapnicky also owned Moun-
taineer Golf Course, which he now leases out. He still lives in his home near the golf course and is active as treasurer of th Scotts Run Public Service Dis
trict.
Jere was a rough place, Dulin said, one where residents would get into fights on a regular basis In one incident, a man killed his wife and then himself up the hill
from Dulin's house Dulin's father a lived in a small home on the end of a long block of row houses. After Dulin got a job at the mine, he moved a few doors
down into a two-room house with


In 1924 Dallas Hall near Cassville used by coal miners for union meetings and social gatherings.

In 1925
Dunkard Valley trolley makes final run as bus service increases.

In 1930 Longtime Cassville physician Dr. physician Dr.
Milton RineMilton Rin
hart, 68, passes away. He once owned a large livery stable there.

In 1933 - First beer delivery after end of Prohibition is made to Continental Coal Co. store at Cassville.

## In 1938

 Coal-cleaning plants conCassville and Pursglove.In 1938 - The Shack Neighborhood House begins operation in old Stump town School building.

In 1946 - Miners Memorial Swimming Pool opens May 6 at The Shack near Purs-

In 1956 - New Miners Memorial Center (The Shack) dedicated April 17.

In 1963 - Morgantown Water Co. installs booster pumps to supply water to storage tanks at Cassville and Pursglove. In 1968 - Bus service to Cassville supplied by Mountaineer Bus Lines. As costs grew, the county took
over the system in 1972.


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Today is Sunday, Dec. 19 ,
the 554 th day of 2004. There are 12 days left in the year.
HIGHLIGHT IN HISTORY: in 1843, "A Christmas Carol," by Charles Dickens, was first
published in England. ON THIS DATE: IN 1732, Benjamin Franklin began publishing "Poor Richard's Almanac."
IN 1776, Thomas Paine pubin 1776, Thomas Paine published his first " IN 1907, 239 workers died in a coal mine explosion in Jacobs Creek, Penn. IN 1984, Britain and China
signed an accord returning signed an accord returning
Hong Kong to Chinese sovHong Kong to Chinese so
ereignty on July 1, 1997. IN 1998, President Clinton was impeached by the
Republican-controlled Hou Republican-controlled House
for perjury and obstruction for periury and obstruction
of justice. He was later of justice. He was later
acquitted by the Senate. TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:
Singer-songwriter Charlie Singer-songwriter Charlie
Ryan is 89. R\&B singer-musician Maurice White (Earth, Wind and Fire) is 63. Paleontologist Richard E. Leakey is
60 . Actress Elaine Joyce is 59. Actress Jennifer Beals is 41. Actor Robert McNaughton is 38 . Actress
Kristy Swanson is Kristy Swanson is 35 .
Actress Alyssa Milano is 32. Actress Alyssa Milano is 32.
Actor Jake Gyyllenhall is 24 Actress Marla Sokoloff is 24.

Drunk, wheelchair-driving man to be homeless soon

DEAR ABBY: When we married in 1998, my husband "Grant" and I agreed that we would never put ou
parents into a nursing home as parents into a nursing home as
long as we were physically able to care for them. After our home was built, ,"y father-in-law, "Papa
Jake," moved in with us. Papa J is now 73, wheelchair-bound from a stroke, and an alcoholic.
He gets into his motoriz He gets into his motorized whee
chair every day and heads out to the local bar, which is a mile away. When he returns, he's completely intoxicated, and sometimes falls. Papa Jake is also belligerent toward
me, and I don't want our 2-year-old son living in this environment. Grant refuses to tell Papa Jake that if he can't live by the rules he needs to leave. I have reached my
limit. I love Grant, but I can't live limit. I love Grant, but I can't live
like this anymore. When is enough enough? - FED UP IN NEW YORK DEAR FED UP: Papa Jake appears to be a danger to himself. If you haven' already done so, inform
his doctor about what's going on. his doctor about what's going on.
It's unfair of your husband to wimp out and allow his dad to treat you disrespectfully - let alone drive his wheelchair drunk on public roads.
The bargain you made with your spouse was that you would care for his father as long as you were physically able. Well, since you are not physically able to prevent tapa
Jake's Jake's forays to the bar (which put
his safety at risk), insist that the

time has come for Jake to go.
DEAR ABBY: My friend asked if I ever had a flame-shooter. Then he went into the bathroom and got a
can of hair spray and some matches. He told me to light the match and hold it. While I was holding the match, he sprayed the hair spray on it, and then my hand caught fire.
I wasn't burned, but it scared me I wasn't burned, but it scared me.
I'm not sure what to do. I want him to still be my friend, but I don't want him to get hurt. Should I let him keep doing it, or should I tell someone and have them tell him to
stop? - WORRIED IN KANSAS stop? - WORRIED IN KANSAS
DEAR WORRIED: All you would need is for one of those "flame-shooters" to explode in your faces, and there would be lifelong conse quences. The next time your tell him you'd prefer to do something else. Your mother or your teacher should inform his mother about what her son is up to. The boy
is a tragedy waiting to hapen is a tragedy waiting to happen. JEANNE PHILLIPS writes "Dear Abby"
under the pseudonym Abigail Van Buren.

TV LISTINGS


## $\overline{\text { BRIEFS }}$

## Man shot to death

 by juvenile in UniontownA 21-year-old man was shot to
death early Saturday morning in Uniontown, Pa.
According to Pennsylvania State Police reports, the man, whose name is not being releas pending notification of fami
members, was shot by an unnamed juvenile after an argument with a third party. According to reports, the deceased arrived at 1B Washington St. around 3:30 a.m. There, an
argument ensued between him and Jerome Zuzak, 39, who phoned 911.
Pennsylv Pennsylvania State Police
were dispatched to the scene the man left the residence prior to police arriving.
Shortly thereafter, the man returned to the scene, kicked the in the residence, hitting him repeatedly in the head, face, and upper body, according to police.
The juvenile then retrieved a The juvenile then retrieved a handgun and shot the man once, arrival of police. No further details were availstill under investigation

Don't park on street in winter, Westover asks mn order to help with sn Department asks residents use off-street parking spaces
whenever possible during win ter months. It is especially important that people do not park on the street
during periods of heavy snow. during periods of heavy snow.
Places where vehicles park on the street will not be plowed. Info: Westover City Hall 296-
6880 between 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Mon-day-Friday
Free computer literacy class at Kingwood library Preston County Literacy Vol
unteers, a United Way agency, will offer a free computer literacy and training class at the King-
wood Public Library after the first of the year.
The six-week class will be held 6-7:30 p.m. Jan. 3, Jan. 10, Jan. 24, Jan. 31, Feb. 7 and Feb. 14. The class is limited to eight people. Instructor is AmeriCorp Participants will learn properly turn the computer on and off, how to use the mouse, how to use Windows, and how create, edit, save Info or to register: 698-PCLV or

Book fair set at Rehab Center lobby Books R Fun Book Fair will be
from 9 a.m. 4 p.m. Wednesday at from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesday at
the HealthSouth MountainView main lobby. The public is welcome

## Blood call this week

 includes school challenge The American Red Cross Blood Call for this week is:8 a.m. 2 p.m. We Morgantown High School's Arth Clyde Gym. T-shirts while they last. Blood challenge with UHS $\square$ noon-6 p.m. Thursday at Reedsville VFD, W.Va. 7 east; and
noon-6 p.m. at Morgantown Blood noon-6 p.m. at Morgantow
Center, Pineview Drive. The Morgantown Blood Center is open every Thu
certain holidays.


## Warner: Debt attention is ‘overkill'

## Financial situation won't affect Morgantown development



Lynn Usary's hand-painted jingle bell ornament (above) hangs on the main White House

## with some West Virginia style

Local artists' ornaments hang on White House tree

## by Judy beavan

$\frac{\text { The Dominion Post }}{\text { Two local artists were }}$ guests at the White House painted ornaments were chosen to hang on the main White House Christmas tree.
Claudia Kugler of Morganmont are both members of the National Society of Decorative Painters and their works are adorn the tree displayed in the Blue Room at the White House. The tree contains 32,500 lights and 390 balls. Since the theme was "Season of Merriment and Meloc
each of the ornaments are musical instruments, includ ing Kugler's drum and tambourine and Usary's festive jin-
gle bell.

## West Virginia's Christmas tree reflects patriotism



BY IVY MEAGAN SMITH
WASHINGTON - In the shadow of the national Christmas tree, a 6 -foot North Carolina Fras-
er fir shines brightly with American patrioer fir shines brightly with American patrio
tism.
Its presence reflects a state where this mes sage rings throughout its rolling hills. "Patriotism has always run deep in Wes Virginia, and the citizens of our state hold in high,
regard the symbols that represent America's founding principles," said Rep. Alan B. Mollo han, D-W.Va. "This year's theme is certainly one
with which West Virginians can identify, and with which West Virginians can identify, and
which reflects a defining part of our charac-

The West Virginia Christmas tree is among 56 representing each state, territory and the District of Columbia. The trees line the Pathway
of Peace, a trail that leads to the national Christ of Peace, a trail that leads to the national Christ
mas tree on the Ellipse just south of the White
Rebecca Stelling, owner of Mountain Artisans in Charleston, W.Va., designed and hand-made each of the tree's 50 ornaments. Through her
theme, American presidents and symbols, she wanted to remind all who saw the tree about the ing the Pathway of Peace to the national Christmas level of patriotism following the Sept. 11 attacks.

Kugler teaches decorative store at Glenmark Centre and
has shown at the Stonewall Jackson Heritage Arts \& Crafts Jubilee. She is a juried artist.
Usary Usary has taught tole
painting for 27 years in home studio. She has had ornament at the White Hous before, during Clinton's administration in 1994. In 1987 she had an ornament a the Smithsonian and also in 1990, both of which are published.
Both were "thrilled" to have been chosen fr
submissions.
Kugler said that "the White House reception was unbelievable."

SEE ORNAMENTS, 2-B


Claudia Kugler poses by a Christmas tree during a reception at the Whit tree during a reception at
House for ornament artists.

## owe us a bunch of money. Because

 it's in dispute, it's not a debt until it's agreed upon," Warner said. week listed former campaign manager Dick Leggitt and deputy manager Sam Pimm, among those claiming to be owed money. They say $\$ 75,000$ collectively is owed. And Kristina Grabosky, the campaign'scommunications director, said she is owed nearly twice the $\$ 3,330$ list

Warner said to his knowledge, no nlaimed ine Morgantown area has laimed he owes them. debt is outstanding lons from Warner to his campaign. Shortly after the election, Warner's father, George "Brud" Warner solicited donations on his son's behalf. Warner said even after he lost, he ed as debt to her in the Dec. 6 report.
continued to see donations. His

Preston will conserve to pay off deficit
School superintendent recommends guidelines for saving money
by Kathy plum
The Dominion Post
KINGWOOD - The Preston Board of Education will close some portable buildings and consider how schools are used after hours as part of its plan to
eliminate a half-million dollar eliminate a half-million dollar
deficit. deficit.
Presto year 2003 with a $\$ 1.3$ million deficit, its second straight year of deficit spending.
By the end of the 2004 fiscal year on June 30, Finance Director Ken Rodeheaver reported it had been whittled to $\$ 538,339$ through economiz ing and an unexpected tax
"As we continue through th
school year, we have to find school year, we have to find
ways to continue to reduce it, ways to continue to reduce it,"
Preston Superintendent John Preston Superintendent John
Lofink said.
The mild winter to date has helped reduce utility consumption, but the cost of utilities is
rising, he said. And maintenance issues such as repairing a roof at Bruceton School and brick repairs at Central Preston and South Preston have used the
bulk of maintenance money for
the year.
While many of the suggestions are still under discussion,
others will occur. Lofink said the West Preston Middle School band and shop building will
close and those classes be
moved into the main building. Lofink said a leaky roof in the 31-year-old steel-frame building makes its long-term use prob-
lematic,
"We're very definitely look"We're very definitely lookterm," Lofink said. "We're not sure we're going to get the pretty far gone in places." West Preston Principal Timothy Mullens said the band already has moved into the old
gym. gym.
won't meet January, but they will become anuary, but they will become more technology-oriented because of the move, Mullens
said.
"At this point, we're looking at making it soundproof because
it's an old building," he said of it's an old building," he said of the band's new quarters. Luckily, he said, WPMS has hear them, we don't mind." Kingwood Elementary has nine portable units, and Tunnelton and Fellowsville ele-
mentaries two each. Lofink said Kingwood may be able combine two, and Fellowsville may be able to close one or
Use of facilities by the public also will come under scrutiny. Existing school policy allows principals to charge basketball leagues and others $\$ 10$ per hour to use schools
"They may not think they're

| Ideas |
| :---: |
| The superintendent's recommendations for items that could reduce Preston County Schools' deficit: <br> - Principals are to assess portable buildings and see which could be closed for the winter. <br> ■ Substitutes won't be called for school secretaries and principals if they will be off only one day. ■ All schools will turn off computers, lights, soda machines and all other electrical equipment when school closes. <br> - Schools will lower thermostats as much as possible. <br> Administrators may be used as substitute teachers. <br> Plumbing issues are to be reported quickly. <br> Principals are to work with custodians to conserve janitorial supplies. For example, classrooms with three trash cans may only need one, so fewer bags are used. <br> Overtime will be kept to a minimum. <br> Fairmont State is being asked to move all the classes it offers at PHS into one building. | using much in the way of utili-

ties, but there's the lights, the heat may be up a little, and then there's the cleanup of the bathsumables used there," Lofink explained
He isn't planning anything mid-season. "It's one of the options on the table right now,"
he said. "The decision has to be made how much we can use the buildings without increasing our costs. You want activities to
go on for children, but you have go on for children, but you have
o provide them an education." Lofink expects principals' reports on the use of portables
in January. He also has asked in January. He also has asked principals to meet with thei Councils for ideas on placing another school levy before vot
Voters narrowly defeated a

## vy by 260 votes.

"I know that citizens do not want to see their taxes go up for any reason, but I'm looking at
trying to operate 12 campuses, trying to oper
Lofink said.
"If we don't get funding sup port, then I think anything has to be looked at in terms of how
we spend our money Every lit we spend our money. Every lit
tle thing has costs associated
with it."
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The Dominion Po
Six area libraries honored for being timely, accurate recipients of the 2004 Shirley Smith Award for timely and acc rately reporting of data, the West reported.
ent is the Taylor County Public
Local special library recipients are WVU's Health Sciences
Library and Law Library. Other academic libraries honored are at three WVU
branches - WVU Potomac branches - WVU Potomac
Mary F. Shipper Library, WVU Institute of Technology Vining
Library and the WVU Parkers Library and th
burg Library.

Fayette board votes to close Gauley Bridge High School

Residents fight decision CHARLESTON (AP) - The
Fayette County Board of Education Fayette County Board of Education
has voted to close Gauley Bridge High and Montgomery Middle

Gauley Bridge and Montgomery students will move to reconfigured Valley Elementary and Valley High chools in Smithers under the mea
day with a 3-1 vote.
Patricia Spangler, a Gauley Bridge graduate, cast the lone vote against the schoor closures, saying Bridge what it needed to succeed and that the school's ability to function eroded through neglect. Fayette County Superintendent Bridge graduate, had proposed the
closure.
Board president Steve Pilato,
who voted against closing Gauley Bridge in 2001, said economic conferent vote Thursday.
$\qquad$
to the board after she also previ-
ously fought school closures, said, ously fought school closures, said,
"It's not an easy decision, and I los sleep over this."
Also Thursday, McDowell Coun ty residents pleaded with state schoo officials during a closure hearing for ty's oldest school. "Please consider our children's here is best," said parent Chasity Pot ter. Teacher Vesta Larkin said " better building doesn't make a bet ter school."
McDowell County Superinten dent Mark Manchin has said th county cannot afford to operate as
many schools because of declining enrollment.
McDowell County schools came
under state control in under state control in 2001 after
an audit team found leadership an audit team found leadership scores, poor attendance, decaying
school buildings and uncertified school buildings and uncertified teachers.
Since then, the county has lost 500 students and expects enrollment to students and
drop further.

## Share the joy

Daughters of the American Revolution pay holiday visits to area vets.

When It Has To Be Unique 296-9669
320 High Street www.gemstargems.com Downtown

## Connect to Preston events this week

Preston High will distribute applications for GearUp comput-
er scholarships this week. If your er scholarships this week. If you
child doesn't bring home an application, you can call 329-040 ext. 550, to get one. Applications must be returned by Jan. 12 .

## Sail away

Cindy Jenkins was the winner of the cruise raffled off by the Bruceton Lions Club. Club members thank everyone who bought

Recycling change Remember that this week's Saturday recycling for Rowles burg and Tunnelton has been canceled because of Christmas.


Open again Business was so good last week that the Preston High guidance office is open $6-8$ p.m.
again today to sell PHS T-shirts, again today to sell PHS T-shirts
sweatshirts, hats and other apparel. Enter the school through the connector. For more information, call Mark Bjorkman at $329-0400$, ext. 491 .
Proceeds will benefit the track
ans country programs. End quotes
County Administrator/Grant Writer Jennifer Bonnett's reports back to the state on how Preston's spending of its Homeland Security Grant is being used as a reporting model statewide. out homework, we might get even more" of the Homeland Security money, Bonnett told county commissioners. do," Commission President Darwin Wolfe told her.
KATHY PLUM is a staff witer for The Domir KATHY PLUM is a staff writer for The
ion Post. Her column appears Sundays.

Beetles found in some Christmas decorations

ive beetles have been found in some Christmas decorations mported from China, the West Virginia Department of Agricul ture has said. ture has said. include artificial Christmas tre that have a natural wood trunk and wooden nativity sets with bark attached, the department aid this week. For the second year in a

sive species in decorative
household items," said state Agriculture Commissioner Gu Douglass.
tered with thems we've encountered with these types of prod-
ucts are a perfect example of the ucts are a perfect example of th
dangers our plants and animals face from international imports." The Brown Fir Longhorned Beetle could pose a risk to U.S.
forests and agriculture the forests and agriculture, the

The U.S. Department of Agri-
culture recently issued a recall notice for artificicial Christmas trees marked by the Polytree C in China due to infestation
reports. reports.
Cons
Consumers who find sawdust asked to contact the state depart ment's Plant Industries Division at (304) $558-2212$ or the USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspec tion Service office in Ripley at
372-8590.

## Wenfet Qackage Gifts

Packages can be ordered over the phone \& customized


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We're proud that our hospital and employees donated more than $\$ \mathbf{1 3 4 , 0 0 0}$ to our community through our annual United Way campaign. That's the most money ever contributed during a WVUH campaign - and a $\mathbf{1 6 \%}$ increase from last year's total. We also collected thousands of personal care items for United Way agencies.

We'd like to thank the contributors and the employees who worked tirelessly throughout the campaign to ensure its success. It was a team effort!

A big thank you to the following area businesses for their contributions to the campaign:

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PRESTON SCHOOLS' CALENDAR SPANISH and LEGO LAB - Aurora
BASKETBALL - Sut

FORTNEY'S PROGRAM - KingWood - 2:30 p.m.
CENTRAL PRESTON GEAR-UP CENTRAL PRESTON GEAR-UP
HOMEWORK HELPS (Schmid) HOMEWORK HELPS (Schmidl) 7:30-8 a.m. and (Gill Virginia Stud 7.30-8 a.m.; West Virginia Stud
ies (Koch) - $3: 30-4: 30$ p.m.; library services (Bernatowicz)library - 3:30-4:30 p.m. PHS GEAR-UP ENGLISH and MATH TUTORING, OPEN COM
PUTER LAB - $3: 30-5: 45$ p.m. PROJECT ISAAC PROGRAM Bruceton - 2:20-4 p.m. PTA MEETING - Kingwood - 7 - 1 20-4 p.m. NEWCOME \& SPEELMAN CHRISTMAS PLAY Kingwoo 9 a.m./2 p.m.

## Wednesday

BOYS' BASKETBALL - PHS at UHS - $5: 45 / 7: 30$ p.m.
COOKING FOR SENIORS BRUCETON GEAR-UP LANGUAGE ARTS and MATH

TUTORING - $2: 20-4$ p.m. CENTRAL PRESTON GEAR-UP
HOMEWORK HELPS (Schmid) HOMEWORK HELPS (Schmidl) 7:30-8 a.m.; ENGLISH (Bernatowicz), library - 3:30-4:30 p.m GIRLS' ' BASKETBALL - PHS at EIkins - $5: 45 / 7: 30$ p.m.
CHRISTMAS PARTIES CHRISTMAS PARTIES - Aurora - 2-2:45 p.m.; Kingwood - 2:30
p.m.; Rowlesburg - 1:30 p.m. p...., Rowlesburg - 1:30 p.m.
CHRISTMAS PROGRAM (Grades 3, 4, 5 band, chorus) - Kingwood -9:30-10:30 a.m., 1:15-2:15 p.m. FRESHMEN BOYS' \& GIRLS' BASKETBALL - UHS at PHS PROJECT ISAAC PROGRAM Bruceton - 2:20-4 p.m.

## Thursday

 FRESHMEN BOYS' BASKETBALL NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS Friday NO SCHOOL

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| Mon menu |
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| MONDAY: open face roast |
| beef sandwich, whipped |
| potatoes, green beans, |
| cookie. |
| TUESDAY: crunchy baked |
| chicken, potatoes, veg- |
| etable blend, cake. |
| WEDNESDAY: brown beans, |
| oven browned potatoes, |
| vegetable blend, cake. |
| THURSDAY: chef's choice. |
| FRIDAY: closed Christmas |
| Eve. |
| INFO: 296-9812. |

May 9-13, Las Vegas, Center Strip
Hotel and transportation from Mor-
gantown to Las Vegas provided. Call
for more information.
The Senior Monongalians, Inc.
has a new format for their newslet-
ter. Not on the mailing list? Call
296-9812 for more information.
BOPARC Senior
Recreation Center
Cene BOPARC Senior Recreation
Center, 1837 Listravia Ave., is open
from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday.
Info: 296--7002.
日The center will close at noon Thurs-
day and will be closed all day Friday.
The senior center has a video
p.m., Monday-Friday. Members can rent two movies for one week at 50
cents per video. New videos added
regularly.

- "Senior Talent" will be the pre-luncheon program at 11:15 a.m. Wednesday at the senior center. Lunch at
noon. Menu: taco bake, Spanish erage. Cost is $\$ 3$ per person. Make reservations by noon Tuesday by
calling $296-7002$.

following trips:


7002. 

The Retired Senior Volunteer
Program is located in offices at the
BOPARC Senior Recreation Cen-
ter. Seniors who would like to vol

- The schedule:
MONDAY: 9 a.m., weaving; $9: 30$ a.m.,
bowling at Sycamore Lanes; 10 a watercolors; 7 p.m., round dancing;
a.m., low-impact aerobics; noon, acrylics and max oil; 2 p.m., line
dancing; 7 p.m., square dancing. WEDNESDAY: 9 a.m., weaving; 10
a.m., literary discussion group and cards; $11: 15$ a.m., pre-luncheon program; noon, luncheon; 1 p.m.,
pinochle and BOPARC singers pracice (Open to new members; just
come to practice).
THURSDAY: 9 a.m., weaving; 9:30
a.m., bowling at Sycamore Lanes; 10:30 a.m., aerobics; 1 p.m.
Kitchenaire Band Practice; $5: 30$ p.m.


## Assisted Living

at Evergreen



-The Westside Senior Center, in the city building at 500 Dupont Road, noon and $6-9$ p.m. Monday-Wednes day; 9 a.m.-noon Thursday and Fri-
day this week. Parking area whel day this week. Parking area; wheel ment, cards, table games and bil liards are available. Info: 296-6583.
Crafts are held at 9 a.m. Tues days at the senior center. All senior citizens are encouraged to come and
join in this activity -The senior center is selling Christ mas sweatshirts for $\$ 15$ each. Various sizes available. Stop in any time the center is open to purchase shirts.
The senior center will have Christmas celebrater will have Tuesday at the center. There wil
be Christmas music, refreshment and fellowship. Everyone invited. $\square$ The schedule:
MONDAY: 10:30 a.m., interdenomi cards, table games and pool.
TUESDAY: 9 a.m., crafts, coffee; $6: 30$ p.m., Christmas celebration. WEDNESDAY: a.m., cards, pool, fel sloppy joes for sale.

## lowship.

Chestnut Hills

- The Senior Monongalians Nutri tion Site will deliver meals to Ches day this week. Meals are served at noon. Donations accepted.
The Rev. Dwight and Rose Hagee hold a Bible study at 7 p.m. every other Thursday at Chestnu
Hills party room.


## Other programs

Seniors, age 60 or older, can par
ticipate in a one-hour research pro ticipate in a one-hour research pro-
gram, "Key to Successful Aging."
Receive a small gift in exchange for Receive a small gift in exchange fo
answering questions. Call Kelly I Snyder, of WVU department of psychology, at 293-2001, Ext. 31649, and leave a message - The Local Community Action
Program has several programs avail able for seniors. They are: emer gency assistance with utility ter minations and rent evictions, a
weatherization program, a loan proweatherization program, a loan pro
gram for emergency home repair and a garden program. The office is
located on the lower floor at the Mocated on the lower floor at the
Monngalia County Courthouse
Call 291-6795.

## Unity Manor

- The Senior Monongalians nutri
tion site delivers meals Monday thon site delivers meals Monday
Thursday this week. Donations
accepted.
Volunteers are needed each
Wednesday evening to help with
bingo. Call Susan Savage at $296-5959$

p.m., bingo; 6:30 p.m., movie.
MONDAY: 10 a.m., NLP; 11 a.m current news; 2 p.m., shopping trip 4:30 p.m., music and magazines; $6: 30$ p.m., Christmas caroling. TUESDAY: 10 a.m., ladies circle; 11
a.m., current news; noon, music; 2 a.m., current news; noon, music; magazines; 7 p.m., Christmas carOling. When?; 2 p.m., F.O.P. presents for delivery; $3: 30$ p.m., Devotions with
Chan Mull; 4:30 p.m., music and magazines; 6:30 p.m., Hobby Cor ner. THURSDAY: 10 a.m., ADL Time; 11 a.m., current news; noon, piano
music; $2: 30$ p.m., resident Christ mas party; $4: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$, music and mag azines; 7 p.m., bingo.
FRIDA: 10 a.m., NLP; 11 a.m., curmas news, getting ready for Christ SATURDAY: Christmas gifts pre-


## Core

$\square$ The Core Senior Center, at the corner of W.Va. 7 West and Pedlar
Run Road, is open Tuesday this
week. Senior Mononglian nutri
$\square$ The Senior Monongalians nutri a.m. Tuesday at the senior center Donations accepted.
cans. center is collecting aluminum

## Clay-Battelle

## - The Clay-Battelle Area Senior

 a.m. 4 p.m. Monday-Wednesday this for ChristmasSeniors can participate in cards,
checkers, dominos, checkers, dominos, puzzles, use
exercise equipment or read books and magazines.
Lunch is served from 11:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. Monday-Wednesday this tions accepted. Battelle area needing transporta-
tion to the Clay-Battelle Area Senior Center in Blacksville can call $432-8177$. $\square$ The schedule:
MONDAY: 9 a.m.- -3 p.m., quilting
bee; 10 a.m., bingo.

## The Suites at Heritage Point

 $\square$ The Suites at Heritage Point is gantown.11:15 a.m, Monday-Saturday, reading The Dominion Post.
SUNDAY: $10: 15$ a.m., transportation to First Presbyterian Church; 10:30
a.m., transportation to Wesley Unit a.m., transportation to Wesley Unitportation to Suncrest United
Methodist Church; 4 p.m., piano ensemble; 4 p.m., Bible study; $6: 30$ p.m., movie.
MONDAY: 1:30 p.m., Bible study; p.30., pingoo; 7 p.m., Barbershop Hol-
iday Show. iday Show.
TUESDAY: 9:30 a.m., Flex with Andrea; 9:30 a.m., Kroger and BiLo
10 a.m., Wisdom of Aging; 10 a.m. making pasta angels; 1 p.m., making pasta angels; 1p.m., cratts with Joy;
2 p.m., book group; 3 p.m., Giddy sing-along.
WEDNESDA portation to literary group; $9: 30$ a.m. flex with Andrea; 10 a.m.,. makin,
family gifts; 12:45 p.m., Winnie's family gifts; 12:45 p.m., Winnie's
Bridge; 1 p.m., cooking with Joy; 3 p.m., bingo.
THURSDAY: 9:30 a.m., Strength,
Stretch and Flex with Andrea; $9: 30$ Stretch and Flex with Andrea; 9:30
a.m., Morgantown Mall; 10 a.m.
Joy at Garfield's'; ; pu.m., bingo.
FRIDAY: 10 a.m., dulcimer and
weaving; 10 a.m.m., bingo; 2-4 p.m., Hol

## iday Buffet

## Rock Forge

■The Rock Forge Seniors will mee at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Rock
Forge Neighborhood House. They will attend preventicare exercis
led by Marjorie Singleton, discus led by Marjorie Singleton, discuss

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| Preston menu |
| MONDAY: spaghetti with |
| meat sauce, tossed salad, |
| Italian bread. |
| TUESDAY: hot dog with |
| meat sauce, baked beans, |
| cole slaw, pudding. |
| WEDNESDAY: closed. |
| THURSDAY: ham, candied |
| yams, green beans and |
| crorn, roll, pecan pie. |
| FRIDAY: Closed - Merry |
| Christmas! |
| E percent milk served |
| with meals. |
| INFO: $329-0464$ |

## Triune

The Triune Senior Citizens will ered dish dinner, a business meeting and a program. All senior citi-

## Preston County

Senior Citizens
Inc. will serve meals Monday, TuesInc. will serve meals Monday, TuesAvenue; Rowlesburg Senior Center, Center; Masontown Senior CenTunnelton Senior Center and Pre-
ston County Senior Center at 421 $1 / 2$ E. Main St., Kingwood. Donaions accepted for daily meals. The accommodate persons age 60 and older and their spouses. Funding
is provided by the Older Ameriginia Bureau of Senior Services, Upper Potomac Area Agency on
Aging and the Division of Public Transit.

| MONDAY: Newburg, Tunnelton, Rowlesburg. |
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| TUESDAY: North Preston, Valley, |
| Kingwood, Tunnelton. |
| WEDNESDAY: Newburg (shopping), Valley (shopping). |
| THURSDAY: Terra Alta, Rowles- |
| burg, Newburg, North Preston. |
| If you wish to ride in the van, contact your local senior center |
| - New Year's luncheon will be Jan. 3. Come join us. |
| Preston County Senior Citizens |
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| home nutrition, personal care, employment, health screenings and |
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| services. Anyone having problems |
| understanding hospital bills or |
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| or (800) 661-7556. We will provide |
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| needs. |

## Taylor County

| Taylor County Senior Citizens Inc. is at W.Va. 2, Box 514, Grafton. |
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| Info: 265-4555. |
| Ceramics, 10-11:30 a.m. Monday; |
| bingo, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Tuesday; |
| birthday dinner and entertainment, |
| dnesday; closed Thursday and |
| Friday. |
| Van trip: 9 am. Monday to G |
| Wal-Mart. |
| Blood pressure and glucose screenings will be 8:30-noon Monday at |
| office and $11 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m} .-1$ p.m. |
| boothsville Satellite; Tuesday 8:3 |
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| day $8: 30$-noon at the office. |
| Flemington Nutrition Site |
| st a craft class Tuesday; ceran |
| a birthday dinner Wednes |
| closed Thursday and Friday. |
| n trip Monday to Grafton. |
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## For happy, healthy holidays, pour yourself some milk


#### Abstract

For healthr eating during the ho iday season think "milk." Milk and milk products can enter our diet a variety of "wheys." We nor mally think of milk consumption in terms of glasses of milk or serv ings of cheese. Many food manufacturers use whey in the prepa ration of the foods they produce. Not only is whey nutritionally Not only is whey nutritionally valuable, thus enhancing the nutritive appeal of foodstuffs c taining it, but it adds baking and consistency qualitites that increases manufacturers' increases manufacturers' cre- ative ability. Following is a sum recently published in Dairy Council Digest by the National Dairy Council Dairy Council Whey, a by- making, i s re-product of cheeseadded ingredient in many food products including dairy, meats, bakery, confections, snack foods and beverages. Increasing knowl and be of whey's.s potential health benefits is anticipated to further expand its use in functional foods for health-seeking individuals. Whey contains high-quality



protein, lactose, minerals (e.g, sium, zinc), vitamins and traces content differs among specific whey products. Compared to whey protein concentrate, whey protein isolate is higher in proein and contains little, if any Whey protein is of high biolog.
ical value compared to most othe proteins; has a high content of sulfur-containing amino acids glutathione, a tripeptide with antioxidant, anticarcinogenic and immune-stimulating proper ties; and is the highest natural source of branched chain amino
acids which may stimulate muscle protein synthesis.
ral different proteins, including beta-lactoglobulin, alpha-lactal-
bumin, immunoglobulins, bovine serum albumin, lactoferrin and lactoperoxidase, as well as glyco
macropeptide, a casein-derived protein in cheese whey. As a
result of new technologies, a var ety of biologically active amino acids, peptides and fractions can be isolated from whey protein. eficial bioactivities of
whey/whey components. Several whey proteins, including lactofe actoferricin, have been shown to inhibit the activity of a diverse ange of microorganisms, inclu ing some harmful foodborne teins also exhibit antiviral activ ty against human immunodeficiency virus, among other virus es, and stimulate the immune
response to a variety of antigens. response to a variety of antigens.
An anti-cancer activity has been described for whey componeents such as protein (ee.g., lacto-
ferrin, lactoperoxidase, alphalac ferrin, lactoperoxidase, alphala
talbumin), sphingomyelin and
conjugated linoleic acid in whey lipids, and calcium. The ability of
whey protein to increase cellular levels of glutathione may con-
tribute to this protein's anti-cantribute to this protein's anti-ca bioactive components that may positively affect cardiovascular health by their ability to lower
blood pressure, inhibit platelet aggregation and reduce blood cholesterol levels.
Research findings suggest that whey/whey components may be advantageous for individuals
with physically active lifestyles, with physically active lifestyles
as well as for those concerned about infectious and chronic dis eases. However, additional research, particularly clinical
studies in humans, is necessary to substantiate whey's positive role in health and prevention of role in
disease.
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the role of whey and other dairy the role of whey and other dairy
foods in healthy diets, contact your local county extension office
Upcoming events
Mark you calendars for the 2005 series of educational win-
ter dinner meetings. Dates for
the Monongalia/Preston/Marion series are Jan. 11 (Monongalia County), Feb. 15 (Preston
County, Kingwood Community Building) and March 15 (Mari-
on County). More details to folon County). More details to fol-
low.

## Garden tips

 Be sure to remove leaves,sticks and other debris from lawn. Leaves will block sunlight from reaching the grass blades,
and they will be harder to and they will be harder to
remove in the spring when the are wet.
Remember to prepare your mower for winter storage. Remove the spark plug and drain grass clippings and get the blade sharpened now to avoid the $\underset{\text { Take care }}{\text { spring rush. }}$ friends and keep those bird fed ers filled.
DR. WILLIAM SHOCKEY is WVU Exten-
sion Agent in Preston County. His column

Special prosecutor to investigate Gilmer complaint
CHARLESTON (AP) - The state Ethics Commission has asked a spe
cial prosecutor to investigate crim cial prosecutor to investigate crim-
inal allegations against a former Gilmer County official
Elizabeth Maze, prosecuting attor-
ney for Wirt County ney for Wirt County, has been assigned the case against Randy
Maxwell, former director of Gilmer Maxwell, former director of Gilmer
County's Parks and Recreation Commission.
her investigatiosecutor concludes her investigation and/or prosecu-
tion, then the Ethics Commission tion, then the Ethics Commission
will determine what action to take will determine what action to take
at that time," Lew Brewer, the commission's executive director, said Friday in a statement.

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90; 400-500\#, $\$ 85-100 ; 500$

| 600\#, \$80-85; 600-700\#, none; 700-800\#, none. | to investigate |
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| \$85-103; 400-500\#, \$80-96; | CHARLESTON(AP) - The state |
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| COWS AND CALF PAIRS: | allegations <br> against a former |
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| ing, \$43-50; utility, \$35-42.25 canner \& cutter, \$25-down. | County's Parks and Recreation Com- |
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| MALE HOGS: CWT, none. | mission's executive director, said |
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## Five-day-old baby freezes to death

STANAFORD (AP)-A 5-day-old baby boy whose home had little heat
has died of hypothermia, police said. has died of hypothermia, police said
Temperatures in the Stanafordarea house were in the lower 40s Wednesday when 28 -year-old Sherry Coffman discovered that her newborn was unresponsive, Raleigh Coun-
ty Sheriff's Lt. Steve Tanner said. Coffman immediately called her mother, who notified Coffman's neighbor, who then contacted 911 and performed CPR on the baby, reviv ing him, Tanner said, according The infant was taken to Beckley Appalachian Regional Hospital and

# Wednesday of complications 

 hypothermia, Tanner said.No criminal charges will be file against Coffman, who is severely mentally challenged and under the
supervision of the Health and Human Resources, Child Protective Services and several
other state welfare agencies, Tanne said Friday. mental facultitior did not have the mental faculties to appreciate the ner said. "She's a very dear and lov ing mother who was well beyond her mental capacity to provide care."
year-old girl, Tanner said. individual was to blame, but that it appeared each agency believed that another was responsible for ensur"It's Coffman's family had heat. knowing what the right hand is doing," he said. called the baby"s death "extremely unfortunate" and said the agency would investigate.
Coffman said she had no heat during her pregnancy and that repeated efforts were made to get assistance from welfare agencies.
and the toddler the first two nights, a crib in her bedroom Tuesday night a crib in her bedroom Tuesday nigh
because she was afraid one of them would accidentally roll on him. Coff man said she was using three elec
tric heaters when her baby died. tric heaters when her baby died.
"Ilove that little girl) and loved "I love that little girl, and I loved
my son, too," she said. "I did every mysin, ould to protect them. I did my thing I co
best.
"I wis "I wish they would've turned the
heat on a long time ago when thee heat on a long time ago, when they said they were going to, bef
had my baby," Coffman said. Tanner urged people needing heat to contact churches, charities

Area veterans remembered during the holidays
 shirt he tore from the wrapping paper. ex-navy man who served during

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to persuade him to re-enlist by tak-
ing him out for a good meal and ing him out for a good meal and
telling him another hitch had much to offer. Selby said he resisted the
sell.
Selby, who was married, said his spouse helped him make up his That's where I want you," he said. Dale Davis, who was a tech
sergeant in the Army Air Force sergeant in the Army Air Force,
said he wore a lot of hats while flying on bomber crew. He was a gunpilot, he said.
Davis said he returned from some flights during his 40-mission career where the plane had been so shot up
he wondered how it held together "It looked like the perforations on a postage stamp," he said

Christmas was just another day. Alisha Meadows, an activivities
assistant at MonPointe said the assistant at Mon Pointe, said the
vets have a lot of stories to tell. "I love hearing their stories," Meadows said. "They just go on and on. They love talking about their
buddies and the trouble they used to buddies and the trouble they used to
get into."
Meadows said she appreciated the effort made by the DAR because it touched even those residents
who normally shun activities who normally shun activities at
the home. DAR members said they will return to MonPointe on future holidays to look in on veteran Rowdy Cutlip, who they are "adopt
ing." Cutlip has no family, Har ing." Cutlip has no family, Har
bert explained. "It brings a tear to your eye to see these guys," Harbert said near the end of the visit.

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|  |  | homespun modesty as his family

gushed with pride and gratitude over what their son has helped achieve the past nine months in a world far away father and a Vietna could not be happier. "It's a relief to have him home. We can sleep for a couple of weeks now."
When travelers saw Richard's son in his Army fatigues at the airport, they walked up and
thanked him. "What we saw at the airport "What we saw at the airport elder Murray said. "I don't think it's sunk in just got into a rhythm and a rou ine over in Iraq. It was good to ten in English.'
$\qquad$ eave, said the war has made him many in America take for grant. many in America take for grantmoney, the average Iraqi does not. Too much of that wealth went to enrich Saddam Hussein. tial, but you can just see the oppression that's left over. People live in landfills over there and are happy to live there." Murray told the story of how
local residents loved his Army local residents loved his Army
unit for sending their trash to a local landfill. "They said that hey had never eaten so well. No ane American would want to
Murray has been forced to
say goodbye to friends in Iraq
who perished in battle. Staying
busy helps him cope, and it's easy to find things to do
"I lost five friends in a mortar attack. My buddy died while we were both in Baghdad, and I don't know if I've dealt with the busy, try to not think about it, busy, try to not think about it
and do a better mission next time. Danger can come from any He shared the tale of his close encounter with an improvised explosive device, from which he emerged unscathed. He attribut-
es his survival to adequate es his survival to adequate
resources, great equipment and resourcest training.
excell
"We were in a Bradley armored vehicle, and this exploion was pretty big. I popped $m y$
ward and saw debris 200 feet up in While Iraq has a long way to morality and the success of his mission of freedom. would report on the positive would help greatly," he said. "I I'm convinced that our efforts
are not a waste."
Murray said a day does not pass that he does not see some thing great happening in Hus
ground. "Schools are being rebuilt and American organizations a sending supplies to help. I once
had a different view of this war. how we're helping these people, 've turned my views around.' His unit recently went to a
city in the midst of the danger ous Sunni Triangle to provide medical treatment for civilians Instead of dodging bullets and rocket-propelled grenades, they
received smiles and handshakes from the local populace "We give candy to the kids while rendering medical help. It's about winning the hearts
and minds of the children . Th was a really great experience " Murray's sunit ted the Nove
ber assault on Fallujah. Some had predicted a 30 percent casu"I think we lost two soldiers in retaking the city. We have 150,000
soldiers in Iraq, and I don't know why the media only focus on the ,000 who have died." the finite moments with Scott Murray, especially as his Dec. 23 return to Iraq - and his birthday - nears.
His sister, Stephanie, wants to take him shopping.
"I left school to meet him a the airport," she said of her older brother.
Though pulled in different amily. They will not be able to have their son home for his birth day, nor for Christmas. For Scott, he is surrounded by his family and the trees of Shady Spring. "It's a holiday if my family day."

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TUESDAY, dental clinic for children and teenagers, 8:30 a.m.
4:30 p.m., appointment only. 4:30 p.m., appointment only, 8:30-9:30 a.m. no appointment necessary; pediatric clinic from 8:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m., appointWEDNESDAY
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only, 598-5108. FRIDAY, holiday, ment closed HEALTH PROMOTION SERVICES, Food Handlers Training course is from 10-11:15 a.m. 2-3:15 p.m., and 7-8:15 p.m. month. Offsite courses are av able for groups of 25 or more on a fee for service basis. PIC and manager's training on alternating months, 598-5131, tberton@monchd.org or
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p.m. In-home services for the Medicaid-eligible pregnant mom and infants up to one year old to receive teaching, case management and transportation assis-598-6701. HEALTHY START/HAPI (HELPING APPALACHIAN PARENTS AND INFANTS), office hours are :30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., in-home services for preconception serfamily stress, smoking and med cal risk. Prenatal services include screening for depression, family stress and smoking, and case management services Postpartum services include 24 screenings, 598-6701.

## Preston police detachment collects toys for children

KINGWOOD - It looks like Santa already has come to the Kingwood detachment of the West Virginia State Police, but he'll re The det
in thetachment has a stack of part of the erront office, collected as part of the recently-concluded 15th Virginia Needy campaign.
The bulk of the toys were bought by Preston High School Honor Society students, who raised $\$ 1,000$ for the project, then went shopping
for toys. or toys hese organizations and all who donated to help others in need,"

Detachment Commander Sgt. Randy Monroe said. The toy donations are distrib sted locally through Food For Pre collected in conjunction with the Salvation Army. The Kingwood detachment ha participated in the drive each year Superintendent Col Howard Police Jr. said,"The holiday season is time of sharing and giving thanks for our many blessings. The combined effort of the public, State Police and the Salvation Army has always been
and will continue to be a very pro and will continue to be a very pro
ductive campaign in assisting the cit izens of West Virginia in their time of need."


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## Campus Life

# The search for the perfect gift 

Students finish up last-minute shopping before heading home for break
by cara spaziani

W $\qquad$ went shopping with
her father, sister and
niece on Black Friday niece on Black Frida
from perfect.
With no room to maneuver her niece's stroller, the crowded outlets didn't make holiday shopping she was able to get most of it fin. ished.
Now, the WVU elementary education major will wait for Christmas to receive her ow gifts, one she hopes will be a disi "I really tographs," Fincham said. "But really don't like taking my big camera everywhere I go, so I'd le bit smaller and more accessi
ble." more about giving than receiving Fincham already has spent at least $\$ 300$ on gifts for her family,
boyfriend and roommates this ason and has bought many of her gifts at stores like Bath \& Body Works, JCPenney and Cabelas. "I love Christmas," Fincham Christmas and giving out presents, so now I'm like that, too."
Fincham did most of her shopping during Thanksgiving break at the Hagerstown Outlets in Hagerstown, Md. and at the Mor many of her gifts out of maga-
zines.
Brandon Ditty, a sophomore exercise physiology major hopped at the Morgantown Mal his Christmas season, stoppin his brother and at Christopher \& Banks for his mom.
But Ditty also hopes his family is shopping for him, too. One of CD player for his car but that isn't the only thing on his Christ mas list.
"I'd also like new skis this Christmas because Ive out"And I need new pants becaus 've outgrown most of those,

Olivia Grantham, a 20 -year-old
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Christmas tree orn ment she receives every year from her
mom. gets me and my sister ornaments so that when
we leave home we leave home, we'll have ornaments to decorate our trees with,"
Grantham said. "The ornaments are really sen timental to us, and it's something that I always enjoy opening."
Unlike Fincham Unlike Fincham, plished as much shopping as she would have liked to this far into the holiday sea
son. Grantham is shopping son. Grantham is shopping
for her mom, dad, sister for her mom, dad, sister, and roommates, and even though she hasn't purchased her gifts yet, she does have
ideas ideas.
"My
"My sister and I are getting my mom a coffee maker and
my dad always wants $G$ deld socks for Christmas so that's what I'll get him," Grantham said. "Since my sister just got married I'll probably get her
few pieces of china and I'll either get my brother-in-law clothes or some form of power
Even though Grantham has put off her shopping, she said she would rather give gifts than "Christmastime is always so much fun because I get to give things to the people Ilove, ing up the seme Between finish thing else I've had to do, I just haven't really had any extra time to go, but I'm sure I'll get it all

From digital cameras to new clothes, WVU students have quite a wish list this holiday season. Books, music and movies A little bit of everything Computers/supplies

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Students discover ups and downs of online shopping by CARA SPAZIANI

Gary Gearhart's girlfriend is pretty "picky. So when the WVU psychol ogy major couldn
thing he thought his girlfriend would like, he decided to turn to the Internet for her Christ mas gifts this holiday season.
Like many other WVU stuLike many other WVU students, Gearhart decided to
use the Internet for his shop ping this Christmas because of its convenience.
"I'm guaranteed what want online," Gearhart said "If I were to go to a store to look
for what I wanted and they didn't have it, I would just be wasting my time and gas."
There is adrawback, though Gearhart is worried some of his gearts won't arrive on time. He's he thought about buying, but since the purchase order date had already passed, Gearhart was forced to continue tolook around positives and negatives," Gearhart said. "After this year we'll see if I ever do it again. James Field, a 21 -year-old biology major, is one Inter net shopper whose positive coming back. This Christmas season, Field has purchased electronics for his father a www.circuitcity.com. Field
also visits the site to purchase also visits the site to pu
printer ink and CDs.
because I'm able to find what ever I want online," Field said. "But one thing that bothers $m$ e is that I have to wait for the
product to be shipped to me, produen though Field wishes his purchases could get to him sooner, the money he is able to save makes his nline shop ping worthwhile Internet to save if Io were to on the the mall," Field said. "The majority of my friends do it, and I'l keep shopping online, too."

## WVU student becomes second from W.Va. to make perfect score on ACT

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gorthan barnes Tracy Poff, an 18 -year-old WVU for the ACT academic achievement

While other students were apprehensive, Poff was calm. He went to lege entrance exam, not unusual him. He says he gets an average of four hours of sleep each night.
He woke up at 6:30 a.m., drank a Mountain Dew, and was driven by Charleston, where he took the exam. ing for," he said. "My philosophy is comes." When the results were in, Poff had a score of 36 , becoming only the
second student in West Virginia to receive a perfect score on the ACT "I didn't expect it. I couldn't predict getting such a high score," Poff
said. "To be perfectly frank, the score I got doesn't matter to me at all. It's just a score on a test. It doesn't mean anything really. Ilike to learn, and most of the stuff in school is easy."
The Kanawha County Commer sion was so impressed with Poff's per formance, they proclaimed May 27 Tracy Poff Day. Poff was also invited as a special guest to the Education Alliance's graduates of distinction
luncheon, where he was acknowl. luncheon, where he was at
However, one would not hear any of this from Poff himself. His mom, Darla, admits that Poff is quie about his success. She, on the othe about his success. She,
hand, is not so silent.
'I probably screamed something do well, but we didn't e
fect score," Darla said.
Ken Gullette, director of media relations for ACT, explained that during the 2003-2004 school year about 1.2 million students nationwide took the exam. Only 230 of those
students scored a 36 "Tudents scored a 36
you are doing and shows if you are ready for college course work,", Gullette said. "Colleges want students who will succeed, and if you score a
perfect 36 on the ACT, it shows that perfect 36 on the ACT, it shows that
you are academically ready to go to a good school."
Poff, a Hurricane High School graduate, is now a math major at expenses are all

WV scholarship.
"It's a waste of time to go to college just to find a job. I am here to learn. Iam
Poff said.
Therefore, it is no surprise that Poff loves to read. He is an avid reader of math and fiction books
especially. especially.
"He was
"He was born six weeks prema ture, but that evidently didn't hur
him. He started reading when h was three years old," Darla said. " would say, 'Where did you learn that?' And he would say, 'The ency
clopedia.' I didn't know he could clopedia.' I didn't know he could
even comprehend what he read at that age!" The three most enjoyable fiction novels that Poff has read most recent ly are J.K. Rowling's "Harry Po
the Rings" series and Douglas Adam's "Hitchhiker" serie Poff said he loves to read math beautiful thing." While Poff does a lot of reading on his free time, he rarely opens his textbooks. He explained that he learns what he needs to know while
in class. in class.
ing 15 credit hours, which is not as many as I would like, but it's hard scheduling classes as a freshman," Poff said.
The fan of classic rock is enjoying his stay at Stalnaker Hall, but he will admit that his favorite place is
home in Hamlin. He grew up living in a mobile home on an old piece of farmland with horses, chickens, of farmland with horses, chicken

Now, the Poff family lives on the first floor of a three-story house that they are in the process of building.
Poff helps his dad, Ronald, a newspaper delivery man and mom, homemaker, build their new home "We go room by room. It's remark able what little you have to learn to do-it's just doing those few things
a lot of times," Poff said. With a perfect ACT slew of activities going at the moment, Poff said he has many things going for him, but he is not perfect.
"I have
"I have a bad memory. I wouldn't be able to remember if I cured cancer yesterday," Poff said. "I can't
paint and I can't sing very wel either. I can't have all the talents. Bu I do know that everything I want
to do, I can."

## WVU FAN CENTER

Mountaineer fans are welcome at the Toyota Gator Bowl Fan Fest, held Friday and Saturday at the Alltel Stadium Practice Facility in downtown Jacksonville. Admittance requires The Patch (call 1-866-WVU-ALUM or visit www.gatorbowl.com). On Friday, don't miss the pep rally, parade, and midnight fireworks. See www.wvu.edu/BowlGame for details. Let's Go Mountaineers!


Pargo's goes; so does 'fun of Christmas
For tre first time in more than game at the Coliseum and Pargo's was empty and dark, its doors locked and parking lot vacant.
No pregame lubrication for fans who knew it as a fun place, happy place, a place where they could have a meal, down a few beers, talk, laugh and then walk
event was going on.
little longer walk but by game ime who really cared
But today il's gone.
We were all greeted with the news across the top of the front page of The Dominion Post on Thursday. The lead paragraph
was straightforward and simple was straightforward and simple Son Drive closed its doors Wednesday morning," it read. That said it all
Or did it?
Justin McBride knows it didn't. He tended bar at Pargo's. On a phone call. "Don't come in to work today," the voice on the
don't come in at all.,
what out of how he learned he was out of work.
It was 10 days
mas. ${ }^{\text {"More than }} 50$ people" later that evening, as he and a group of his co-workers spent evening remembering while
drinking to try and forget. He was talking about how many people found themselves caught up in the Christmas sea son being tossed out on the stre
not a word of warning to them not a word of warning to them. manager. He came to work on Wednesday morning only to have company purchased Pargo's fro, Shoney's in 2000, and a couple of other men tell him the restauran was closing and to go home. in 1993 I started the doors th in 1993. I started there six or put a third of my life in there. cott Goodwin is married an He says he's not worried. "Tm sure Ill be able to find a job, but it's not fun. It takes the
fun out of Christmas," he said One of the bartenders, who di out that " they let us sell goift cer tificates right up until closing on Tuesday night."
She was especially upset about one $\$ 50$ gift certificate that was
going to an underprivileged fam going to an underprivileged fam
ly " "Now what are they going to do?" she asked.
And what, they asked, of the gift certificates that had been an
would be won in charity raffles? It was odd, really, for these people weren't thinking about were mad, angry moment. They were mad, angry at the way it
happened, hot about the timing but the idea that the paychecks were done hadn't yet sunk in. It was, perhaps, unemploy-
ment shock syndrome where yo ment shock syndrome where you see the problems of others but nize your own problem.
True, for many of the employ-
ees it was a second job or a way to ees it was a second job or a way
help put themselves through
school. For some, though, like Scott Goodwin, it was his job. "We knew it would be coming," he said, noting that busin wasn't what it once had been. that St. Francis Catholic Church owned the property but was transferring it to the university
Somehow, though they didn't expect it now, not with so man expect it now, not with so many
Christmas parties booked for the eatery, not with three more basketball home games in December
We'll all get along without Pargo's. Restaurants come and go. But for 50 or so former
employees, this will be a Christ mas season to forget
BOB HERTZEL is sports editor of The


## Picking stars a team effort

All-state squads come together when sportswriters do

COMPLETE CLASS AA BY JUSTIN JACKSON<br>They come armed with note- books and pads pens and enough files of stats to please any member of the Elias Sports Bureau. peak sports writing hours, yet memers Association are congregating on this day, at the Wheeling Downs Hote for one of the most important tasks they will ever face in the business: they will ever face in the business: Selecting the West Virginia allstate football teams.



## WVU jams JMU

Mountaineers on fire again from the tipoff

| TOO MUCH SHHH in his shooters, Beilein believes. Michael Casazza's column, Page 3-C. | ix shots. <br> Six. <br> Clearly, their affliction was not contagious. <br> What the Mountaineers had, though, was. WVU scored on six of its first seven possessions and held a $25-4$ lead when JMU snapped a sixminute scoring drought in the middle of the first half. <br> The hot start, WVU's third in as many games, set the course for yet another blowout as the Mountaineers put down the Dukes, 77-48, before 6,297 inside the Coliseum. <br> SEE WVU, 3-C |
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| BY MICHAEL CASAZZA The Dominion Post |  |
| At halftime of men's basketball games at the Coliseum, WVU and Papa John's are kind enough to conduct a contest where five contestants have a chance to dribble the length of the court and make a basket in five seconds. <br> On Saturday, two children made shots and won $\$ 100$. <br> In the 20 minutes of basketball that preceded that, young men |  |



## Henshaws go head-to-head in Gator Bowl

Dream matchup for brothers

## BY TODD MURRAY

Florida State tight end Matt Henshaw knew the identity of the caller Nov. 28. He barely had time to say hello
before the familiar voice cut him
${ }^{\text {off. }}$ "So, guess what losers we get to play in the Gator Bowl It was Henshaw's big brother
senior West Virginia "spur" safet special teams performer Mike Hen-
Matt Henshaw's lips curled into
He instantly recognized what was happening. The brothers' dream of playing against each other in a col egiate game was coming true. Gator Bowl officials were poised
to announced a WVU-Florida State matchup, in Jacksonville, Fla. "Oh, please tell me we have a,
guaranteed win if we play you guys," suaranteed win if we play you guys, carries a verbal zinger in his hip The Gator Bowl smack talk had officially begun with the Henshaw "I could tell he was pretty excitd," Mike Henshaw said.
"''ve always. thought about playing against Mike ever since I came here," Matt Henshaw said. "I've against my brother. How many times does it happen where two brothers in Division I football get a chance to play each other? It's something that might have happened to happen to me and Mike."
The entire Henshaw clan was
Kathy Henshaw, the boys' moth er, is a WVU graduate. She met the boys' father, George "Duke" Henshaw, during their undergraduate days in Morgantown. George Henshaw played football at WVU as a defensive tack-M in the late 1960s Bobby Bowden's coaching staff, in
Henshaw, assistant head coach of the NFL's Tennessee Titans, later in 1976, and coached with him there through the 1982 season, which ended, coincidentally enough, with WV1-12 Florida State victory against Mom and dad wanted to see their


Mike Henshaw Matt Henshaw

## "People ask me, ‘Are you going to try to kill your brother?' don't know why they'd say that

Mike Henshaw
WVU "spur" safety
sons play against each other as much as the boys did. The younges Henshaw, sister Kerry, a freshman
at Alabama, will also be in the stands at Alltel Stadium for the on-field family reunion. Matt Henshaw said. "I've never heard my mom or dad happier than when they found out Mike and I get diately got on the phone and made hotel arrangements and flight go. Jeff Fisher, the Titans' head coach, gave George Henshaw per-
mission to leave the team before mission to leave the team before George Henshaw will fly out of Jacksonville on New Year's nigh and be back in time for Sunday's
home finale, against Detroit. He's still counting his blessings Thin very excited," he said. "A lot of things had to happen, not just had to do things for this to actually take place. It was something we aways hoped would happen. We has cory," thankful this opportunity Kathy H. eler during the football season. Each year she attends five WVU games and five Florida State games. She always drives from the family home,
in Brentwood, Tenn., to Morgantown and Tallahassee.
It'slike 1,000 miles round-trip," therge. When the two of "Shem happen SEE HENSHAWS, 3 -C

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Beilein finding too much shhh in his shooters

His UNDERGRAD DAYs long gone pocket for more than two decades,
John Beilein still studies during "I went back and compared the first six games of this season to the
first six games of last season and we're better almost all across the
board," the WVU men's basketball board," the WVU men's basketbal Key word: almost.
Better shooters, better defend-
ers and, yes, even better rebound ers. That's evident when the box
score from last season sits next to the box score from this season. Yet there are certain things h
cannot accurately measure cannot accurately measure
because those categories aren't on players to prove that there have been improvements. And one area in particular is a regular worry. collectively, for these Moun-
"It is
"and a weakness." $\begin{gathered}\text { Perhaps }\end{gathered}$

## it is present. Every time

the team in a huddle, every time Tyrone Sally roars or bumps
chests with a teammate, every ime Patrick Beilein answers a opponent s-pointer wig one of
his own these are all big tings
for WVU. It is a togetherness, a spirit, a determination that they are in fact good.
But it is also somew "We're still too quiet," John Beilein said. emphasis all season for Beilein vant detail, no matter how small. Benhe's ween through a situa"You have two people walkin down the hall. A person with my personality might say, 'Hey, how
ya' doing today?"' Beilein explained, his head held high and "But we have guys that will say, 'Hey, how ya' doing?"' the
coach said in a low mumble with his chin tucked into his chest they're on the floor, they're doing
the same thing." In the preseason, Beilein line up his players in practice for the playing of the national Some players, it seemed, were thought and Beilein wanted a proper posture that might exude, or even instill, more confidence.
"You can't modify personalities too much," Beilein said. "You little more."
Beilein has three seniors, play ers who presumably have adapted Fischer play prominent roles, but comfortable playing and living in The senior who does tend to calls the "heart and soul" of the team, is Duriel Price, who rarel
plays and whose personality is rarely noticed. To be fair, though, WVU has
been pushed more by its coach
than its opposition to improve in this area this season. And when tested by an opponent - at
Duquesne and at LSU - one would have to say the Mountaineers responded perfectly
But to quote the coach, th opponents have not been as for and that is important because it doesn't figure to prepare the
Mountaineers for the string challenges the team will face in
the Big East, when personalitie the Big East, when personailities
help teams enjoy the highs and handle the lows. only example leaders," Beilein little more still don't It's a constant struggle."
Beilein paused and, as he tends to do given his personality, he made light of the lone dark spot.
"It's a better problem than hav ing leaders who might be drug guys or guys who might be missing
class or drinking," "he said. "It's far class or drinking," he said. "It's far MICHAEL CASAZZA

## HENSHAWS

to have away games and we have a home game, the Titans are a dis-
tant third, betieve me. Because of his job demands, George Henshaw doesn't often
have a chance to see his sons play in person.
He was at Milan Puskar Stadium for the WVU-Temple game this season, and he attended the 2003
WVU-Syracuse contest, in Syracuse. He hasn't seen Florida State play in person this season, but he Notre Dame in 2003.
well," George Henshaw said of his well, "Toorge Henshaw said of his and the way they want to do things. The most pleasing thing to me is
they enjoy football and they want they enjoy football and they want
to be the best they can be," The brothers are most differ4 and weighs 240 pounds, while Mike tops out at $5-11$ and 200
pounds. Matt was recruited by terback - while Mike took the walk-on route at WVU.
"Mike has been an overachiever his wh. "He works for everything He's very well-organized. He knows exactly what he wants to get done
and tries to have a plan to get it and tries to have a plan to get it
done. He's a tough guy who is going to work hard and do what"Matthew is much more phys-
ically talented. He just really kind ically talented. He just really kind
of came into his own recently. He of came into his own recently. He
had to move positions and really change his body type., He's had to
grow into his height." Matt Henshaw said he has long appreciated Mike's drive to suc-
ceed. "He wasn't blessed with all of the blessed with or what my parents
say I was blessed with," he said. "I am jealous of him because of his ethic of Mike, I'd be sitting real pretty right now. That kid has
fought his butt off his entire life.

## WVU

## "We just seem fresher, espe- cially in the 1-3-1 zone," Mike

 Gansey said. "They start to get in some trouble and we hit our first ning."Two weeks ago, in Charleston, WVU scored the first eight points against St. Bonaventure and led, 20 8, before all of the crowd found
their seats. scored the first 14 points against
Coppin State.
JMU (2-5) witnessed more of JMU (2
the same.
ond media timeout", by the se coach Dean Keener said. By then, it was 19-4, and JMU ing 2 -for- 9 from the floor. our defense," WVU coach John Beilein said. We re deflecting balls and getting steals and it cre-
ates a lot of run-out baskets of 3 -on- 2,2 -on- 1 and 1 -on-none situations have helped manufacture those points. It's not like we've
really come out and run great sets really come out and run great sets
continuously." But the Mou first time since the $1982-83$ season, are scoring. The team topped 70 points for the seventh consecu-
tive game, the best streak since players are chipping in highest total since netting 24 in and Joe Herber added 11. Jarmon Durisseau-Collins, shooting 26 percent from the floor and 21 percent
from 3-point range entering the from 3-point range entering the
game, made his first two 3s as WVU raced away from JMU. ing a reverse had dunk on a fast break

## A's deal Mulder to Cards

through extremely hard work, and
I admire him so much for that" I admire him so much for that."
The brothers are in constant
contact during the seaso They contact during the season. They often call each other the night
before their games. They are each other's biggest fan.
in the games I've seen," Mike Henshaw said. "His blocking has gotten a whole lot better over the
years. Every time they throw him the ball he catches it. I don't understand sometimes why they don't
play him more. I'd like to see him play more just like I wish I could have played more on defense the
last couple of years." Mike Henshaw hopes he'll have
an opportunity to play on defens an opportunity to play on defense his duties as the "spur" safety is
guarding the opposing team's tight guarding the opposing team's tight
end.
"Matt is whe would be "Matt is who I would be going 'Are you going to try to kill your
brother?' I don't know why they'd say that. I'd go hard, but I wouldn't try to go after him.
If Matt Henshaw pass pattern against his brother, he said it would be the "crowning" achievement of his collegiate
career
"Hopefully, I'll beat him and have bragging rights," said Matt Henshaw, a junior. "This is his
last football game, so he can't get
Matt Henshaw, who is known for his happy-go-lucky demeanor, the best scenario would be at the
Gator Bowl. important thing for Florida Stast but honestly, as far as Matt Henshaw, I want my brother to go out
with a win," he said. odd, but I want my brother to go out with a win and get in there and I don't care if it's a sack or an
interception or a fumble recovery. I just want him to get in there
and make a big play. He's very
capable of it. I'd be the only guy on capable of it. . State sideline jump ing up and down if that happened."
three, by far his lowest total of the season. Beilein said both had "very
successful, but very demanding weeks in the classroom" during
Finals Week. Fortunately, there was a bench
that outscored the starters, $41-36$ Patrick Beiled the made 5 of 73 -point shots and finished with 15 points,
and Kevin Pittsnogle added 13 in and Kevin Pittsnogle added 13 in waik-on senior, had a career-high
five points in five minutes at the end of the game.
"I know when I come in and shots, I just want to come in and make some shots," Pittsnogle said. Upon entering the game,
Pittsnogle and Beilein combined for Piltsnogle and beflent points during a for "II's the way we're shooting the
ball," Beilein said. "It's such a ball," Beilein said. "It's such a
good thing when they're going in
for everyone It's hard to stop something like that."
WVU led $47-1$,
largest hale $4-17$, at the half, the largest halttime lead since a 49-16 olina during the $2002-03$ season. That team, though, had the
nation's leading scorer in David Martin. JMU was missing its top
scorer, guard Daniel Freeman scorer, guard Daniel Freeman,
and was clearly lost against WyU's and was clearly lost against WVU's
changing defenses. The Dukes had 16 turnovers and six assists and shot 39 percent in the game. Meanwhile, WVU had just five
turnovers, shot 47.4 nercent and turnovers, shot 47.4 percent and
made 11 of 28 -point shots. The made 11 of 28 -point shots. The
Mountaineers have now won
games by $12,15,34,15,24$ and 29 points.
"I didn't think this was a $7-0$ schedule at this point," John
Beilein said. "I don't even know about $7-0$, but the 20 and 30 -point wins I didn't see. We've run into
some teams in transition that are struggling to find their identities.
We've caught them on a bad night We've caught them on a bad night
and we've played very well."

## Chambers paces Preston boys past the Bucs, 59-46

Morgantown High girls cruise by Wheeling Park $=0$ Merv Christmas!

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|  |  | three matches at a quad hosted |
| KINGWOOD - Chad Chambers made half of Preston's 3 -point baskets, scored 17 points and added 10 rebounds Saturday, boosting Preston High to a 59-46 NCAC boys' basketball victory, against Buck-hannon-Upshur. <br> Bryan Hooton sank four 3-pointers and led the Knights with 21 points, 16 of them in the second half to help Preston break open a close to help Preston break open a close game in the fourth quarter. <br> "We did a good job defensively," coach Barry Sanders said, "but it was, the 3 -point shot that really helped us." <br> Josh Adams also had 10 rebounds for Preston. <br> Tyson Coughlin scored 20 points and Brad Gifford 13 for the Bucs. <br> BUCKHANNON-UPSHUR (1-1, 1-1 NCAC) <br> Coughlin 7 3-5 20, Gifford 2 8-12 13, Critchfield 1 0-0 2, Dob- berstin 3 2-5 8, Fine $10-0$ 2, Tenney 0 1-1 1. Totals 14 14-23 46 PRESTON (2-1, 2-1 NCAC) $\qquad$ 22-26, Hooton 7 4-4 21, Myers 12-25, Dupont 0 1-2 1. Totals 20 10- 1159 . Buckhannon-Upshur Preston High <br> -point goals-B4 (Coughlin <br> Girls' basketball <br> WHEELING - No. 1-ranked Morgantown High poured in all six of its 3-point baskets during a 27 -10 first Park, 74-54. |  |  |
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and Keri $\operatorname{Pryor} 20$ andea each made a air of 33 for the Mohigans."
"We got off to a great start", Alan Collinn noted, "then shot fouls Colling sointed particularly to Tara Napolillo, who scored all seven going 7 -for-8 8 from the line. Overall he Mohigans made 22 of 33 free
Brittney Whiting added 12 points
Defensively, the Mohigans held Maggie Gompers - "an excellent $\begin{aligned} & \text { outside thre } \\ & \text { nine points. }\end{aligned}$.
was at all times," said Collins whe used mostly a matchup zone on
defense. Chantel Nevels had 17 points and Rosa Tsacrios 13 for WPHS.
©This was Collins said. "Their only other loss,

 in the ished fourth at 85 pounds in the $9-10$ <br> \section*{MOREANTOWTV <br> \section*{MOREANTOWTV <br> EFOLVDA YAMAFA SUZUKT}
when they got swept by the Boston
Red Sox in the World Series, but that's if h's healthy. In return, the A's' got pitchers
Danny Haren and Kiko Calero and Danny Haren and Kiko Calero and
minor-league catcher Daric Barton.
Muldere's finish this past sea. son was perplexing.
The 6 foot. 6 effy, the A.L. starter
in the All-Star game seem ed des. in the All-star game, seemed deseration midway through the sea-
son, but went winless in his last seven starts - 0.4 with 27.27 ERA.
On Aug. 24 , he became the first 17-game winner in the
then didn't win again.
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When your Coach doesn't feel your pain

## A segment during one of the NFL

 pregame shows was dedicated to running back Julius Jones taking a shot to his ribs during apreseason game. If you ve ever taken a helmet be rather painful.
Feeling acute pain, Jones sigand headed to the sideline. But before he could get there head where he thought he was going and told him to get back in the Jones made a U-turn and ran three more plays before Par cells sent in the sub. The message Parcells wanted
o send came in loud and clear: No matter how much something hurts, you had better be tough enough to stay in the game until Move forward to week 2 of the NFL schedule. Dallas is playin Jones feels pain in his scapula (shoulder blade) early in the or take himself out because he's supposed to be tough enough to endure it.
After the game is over, Jones finally tells the medical staff turns out the pain he was experiencing was due to a fracture in that shoulder blade. He ends up on the injured list The comments during and fol lowing the segment were about how much toughness Jones displayed by playing with a broken sapula and how those are the have on his team
Also, they talked about how Jones earned points with Paropenly questioned Jones' tough ness after the rib incident. Here's the irony of the whole toughness, playing wh pain thing. The Cowboys have a guy rior over the course of his nineyear NFL career in terms of playing the running back posi-
tion with pain and injury. That guy is Eddie George. say his career is at an end because he doesn't have the same spring in his step. Go figThose of you who have seen may remember how Nick Nolte character needed cortisone shots in his mangled knee in so that he could play. You may also remember how

into taking those shots as a means to play by comparing toughness and desire Playing mind games with ath
letes in an attempt to increase their productivity is always bad idea. Did Parcells use George to
cajole Jones? Would anyone put it past him?
Does anyone cringe at the Does anyone cringe at the
speculation of how many NFL players are talar basis to play feel normal during the day or sleep through the night? Do you players find themselves addicted to the pain medication? Certainly, every athlete has uncomfortable with the nicks, bumps and bruises that are part of every sport. You can't excel
you quit every time you don't
feel perfect.
nothing wrong with making sure you're in one piece before, you get back in the game. Tha ence between the normal bumps and bruises and having something seriously wrong.
Pain is not supposed to be Pain is not supposed to be
ignored; it's designed to tell you something is wrong. The skill is
in learning whether something is slightly or very wrong. This goes without saying,
your medical prosing your medical professiona a far better resource for what the pain is telling you than the vast majority of coaches. That's why the NCAA established pre-
season football camp rules to season football camp rules to
reduce the deaths from exhaus tion and heat stroke - coaches didn't know when to stop and one mistake there is too many. Obviously, Jones is having a pain signifies a serious injury and Parcells seems to have no patience in the normal learning Jones' ribs weren't really injured and that playing wit the scapula fracture didn't some how end his career before it started. While pain is part of playing,
you have to know your body well and you have to be sma QUESTIONS? COMMENTS? 1553 Ste QUESTIONS? COMMENTS? 1553 Stew
artstow Road, Morgantown, WV 26505
or


## JMU defeats Montana for I-AA championship

Dukes won three straight road games to get that far

| ROUNDUP |
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| Assoiated Press |
| CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. - |
| James Madison coach Mickey |
| Matthews saw that Montana had |
| problems against the run, and the |
| Dukes exploited it to wint their first |
| Division I-AA championship. |
| Maurice Fenner and quarterback |
| Justin Rascati ran for two touch- |
| downs apiece in a 31-21 victory |
| against Montana, late Friday. The |
| Dukes, who lost to West Virginia |
| 45-10, in September, rolled up 314 |
| yards on the ground. |
| "We thought we could run it on |
| them," Matthews said. "Athletical- |
| ly, they weren't like some of the |
| defenses we had played.". |
| Fenner ran 29 times for 164 yards, |
| and Rascati carried 11 times for 57 |
| yards and completed 13 of 18 passes |
| for 132 yards. |
| The Dukes (13-2) took the lead |
| for good after Fenner scored from 1 |
| yard in the third quarter, and Ras- |
| cati sealed it with a 6 -yard TD run in |
| the fourth. |
| James Madison's fans threw yel- |
| low streamers and some even jumped |
| down from the stands onto the field |



Cavanaugh and Pelini on short list
Pittsburgh A.D. Long conducting interviews

## by alan robinson

Associate Press PITTSBURGH - Pitt is stepping up its search for a new foot
ball coach, with athletic director Jeff Long interviewing Okla on Saturday and planning to meet with Bard Cavanaugh today.
Pitt defensive coordinator
Paul Rhoads, who is being pushed Paul Rhoads, who is being pushed
by some Panthers players to suc veew wed before Long left town for the two weekend meetings. Long met with Pelinini in Indi-
anapolis, where he also plans to talk with Cavanaugh. The Ravens are in Indianapolis to play the Pelini, Oklahoma's co-defen sive coordinator, has been on
Long's short list since Harris Long's short list since Harris 12. Pelini is a former NFL assistan coach who spent 2003 at Nebras-
ka before moving to Oklahoma where Long was the senior associate athletic director before tak-
ing the Pitt job, 19 months ago. Pelini is regarded as a disciplinarian but is well-liked by his players. He was Nebraska's inter-
im head coach for a $17-3$ victory against Michigan State in the Alamo Bowl in 2003, after coach Frank Solich was fired - coin
cidentally, by Nebraska A.D cidentally, by Nebraska A.D.
Steve Pederson, who previously held the same job at Pitt. Cavanaugh was the quarter
Cald back of the Tony Dorsett-led 1976 Pitt national championship team
and was regarded as the front-runand was regarded as the front-run-
ner to become Pitt's coach before Harris was hired, in late 1996. because he wanted more coach because he wanted more coach a head coach.

Cavanaugh's coaching experience has been in the NFL. He previ ously was an assistant with the Car dinals, 49ers and Bears after beginas Pitt's tight ends coach under Johnny Majors, his college coach Both Cavanaugh and Pelini
grew up in Youngstown grew up in Youngstown, Ohio
which is close to Pittsburgh Former Be to Pittsburgh. coach Dave Wannstedt was considered the front-runner at Pitt before pulling his name out o

## Expect plenty of points in bowls



Alamo Bowl
(24) Ohio State
vs. Oklahoma State Most recent time Buckeyes played
in a bowl before Jan. 1 was 1993 . Ohio State, 27-21.

Thursday, Dec. 30 Continental Tire Bowl (25) Boston College vs, uNC

## Emerald Bowl

New Mexico vs. Navy Middies' most recent bowl win was 1996. Navy, 21-19.

## Holiday Bowl

 (4) California vs. Texas Tech
## Silicon Valley Classic

 Troy vs. Northern Illinois Troy's first bowl; Huskies' secondNorthern Illinois, 30-17

Friday, Dec. 31 Music City Bowl Alabama vs. Minnesota Tide returns to postseason after
two-year absence. Alabama, 27-26.

## Sun Bowl

Purdue vs. (21) Arizona State Sun Devils QB Andrew Walte
out with injury, Purdue, 28-14

## Liberty Bowl

 (10) Boise State vs. (7) Louisville Thaceland. Louisville, $56-40$ fun
## Peach Bowl

(14) Miami vs. (20) Florida So, who exactly is coaching the
Gators? Miami, 32-21. WEEK: 5-2; SEASON: 194-52


## STARS

## The hard part

The Class AAA team comes first, and it takes longer to type back Spencer Farley and Martin burg quarterback Nate Sowers will be on the first team. That's the easy part.
Now comes the hard Now comes the hard part.
There's still 24 spots left on the

How does the all-state selection procore the meeting, hundreds of 11-state ballots are maile school head coaches and writers.
Each ballot asks a coach to list his best players in order and asks the writers to list the best players they've seen. Below that is where players names are placed next Not all ballots (coaches and
writers) are returned. The ones writers) are returned. The ones
that are collected are counted by Stevens, who has all the vote totals How much do the votes actua
ly mean? "The votes are a guide more
"than anything else," Stevens says. 30 votes, that doesn't necessarily guarantee he's going to be on the team. Now, that's a stretch saying that, because if a kid has that many votes it usually means he's
one heck of a player. But votes are not the end-all, be-all.
Votes can come into play in situations where there are more nominations than open spots, but

In the end, it's a mixture of vote totals, where the coach listed the player on his ballot, and dis decides the final outcome "Let me say this right away has the say as to what happens," Stevens says. "It's a group effor "What I don't think people realstate teams the way we do. I think our process is objective. It's a
face-to-face human process."

Politics
Around Thanksgiving, spor
writers across the state will receive mail from coaches pro-
moting their players for all-state consideration.
Most writers discard this info mation. Which brings us to possi-
bly the most difficult part of filling out the all-state team. You have a writer in Morgan-
town who gets a good feel for the talent level in his area. Problem that writer never sees a team from the Charleston, Martinsburg or Parkersburg area until the state
playoffs - or maybe not at all playoffs - or maybe not at all.
The same can be said of thos writers who don't see the Morgan town-area players.
areas are better than players in other areas," Stevens says. "So,
how do you judge a player from

sive line by Parkersburg's Joey Lindamood, Buckhannon-Upshur's
Keith Branch, Parkersburg South's Codi Norman and Huntington's Heath Ashford.
George Washington's John Hardi-
son is a first-team linebacker for son is a first-team linebacker for
the second consecutive season. He was joined by University High junior Cory Jackson, Riverside's Justin
Ullman and Wheeling Park's Jon Pearson.
Cabell Midland's John Saunders moves from defensive utility to first-
team defensive back for his second trip on the first team. Saunders is joined in the defensive backfield by
Marquis Martin, of Huntington, and
Parkersburg's Chance Litton.
Parkersburg South's Ryan Daw son, who also has orally commit-
ted to WVU, is a defensive utility ted to WVU, is a defensive utility
player, as is Brooke High defensive player, as is Brooke High defensive
back Dana Davis. Parkersburg's Connor Louden
was the punter for the second con secutive season.
Morgantown High finished with
14 all-staters in all On the second 14 all-staters in all. On the second
team were offensive lineman Adam
Brandt linebacker Max Anderson and defensive lineman Blake Mattern. David Ly, Junius Lewis and Zach Cook were named to the special
honorable mention team, while honorable mention team, while Nick Straface e and Justin Blaken-
ship were named to the honorable ship were named to the honorable University High also placed defenspecial honorable mention team speciacenonorable mention team, back Adam Johnson on the honor able mention team.
Proston placed lineman Justin Groves on the second team, and
Chad Chambers (utility back) and Seth Wheeler (defensive back) on special honorable mention
third-place vote and the scores are
tallied.
Another all-state day come and Another all-state day come an
gone. Let the discussions begin.
It's not just the writers The coaches face the same
problems coming up with the all conference teams.
"I would imagine coaches and writers are in the same boat and have a lot of the same problems,
says University High football says University High football
coach John Kelley, who helps
decide the all-North Central Ath decide the all-North C
letic Conference team Even though the Hawks play
everybody else in the conference Kelley isn't taking time during the game to watch a defensive tackle from Elkins to see if he's worthy of all-conference or not.
"You break down film or you"l go scout a team and sometime
player or two will jump off the page at you," Kelley says. "For the most part, as a coach, you're not going to know every player or ho good he is that gets nominated
As with all-state there are numerous times when more pla ers are nominated than there are open spots.
"There's always an argument
at quarterback", Kelley says "It's at quarterback," Kelley says. "It's
usually hard for us to limit the usually hard for us to limit the
running backs, because most teams have some good ones and then everybody's best player seems to be at linebacker. At the all-state meeting, stats
about the players are usually com pared to decipher who is more deserving.
"We try to stay away from stats, because there's so many "You can leave kids in blowout games and things like that. Still, you try to get the most deserving kids on and sometimes coach will leave the meeting with
bruised feelings."




## Saban a good fit for Miami, but ...

COMMENTA

Nick Saban would be an inspired, brilliant and perfect
hire as the next coach of the Do phins. What he wouldn't be is the most important hire Because he's doomed before
he starts if owner Weyne Huizenga doesn't get some Huizenga doesn't get someone and perfect to get Saban bette

बplayers.
Joe Gibbs
and Bill Par-
cells and Jon
Gruden haven't
misplaced their
genius this seagenius this sea
son. What they've mis-
placed is the placed is the
kind of skillposition athletes who break games over their knees. And if you think Saban, a Monongah, what the Dolphins are presently putting on the field, you need to be spanked by David Bowens and sent away like a howling .J. Feeley.
Saban, alleged messiah coach the NFL. He isn't going to come in and blow a magic mist of X's and O's into the confused face of Bill Belichick. He would be worst record in the league. And he's smart enough to know he can't be both the coach and general manager for the Dolphins because Huizenga giving all that what got this franchise into this

It is the single most egregious mistake Huizenga has made as the owner of this team - giving
Wannstedt the control he gave Jimmy Johnson - but Saban is not an egomaniac dictator demanding god-like omnipotence. Saban used to be much to serious, but he has, by his own
admission, lightened up considerably, doing things like giving a critical writer a coaching headset after an LSU loss this season so the staff could get his Money isn't going to be what keeps Saban from becoming a Dolphin, and not just because
Huizenga is going to take a leaf blower and spew millions at him "I really don't spend much of
what I've got right now," Saban good job of it, but other than that, I work all the time and enjoy my work. Maybe one of
these days I'll be able to enjoy life and sit on the side of the hill somewhere and look down in the valley and say, 'What did you really accomplish in your life?' So you're not one of those ego est-paid in the history of games,
"No, absolutely not," he says. "And I didn't really want that ag put on me in college, eithes He laughs here. It was writte into his contract that he gets to be the highest-paid coach in the conference. How did he try to get
out of it if it is written into his
"Well, I just said you guys said. "It wasn't our idea to put that in my contract to start with, The A.D. wanted to do that, and he did it, and I didn't really want
to do it at the time after we won the first SEC Championship in 2001 because I didn't want this
it because that's not the most important thing. My first job was at Kent State coaching the
linebackers, and I made $\$ 8,000$ a ear. And I don't approach my work any different now than I did then."
Asked to Asked to describe himself in five adjectives, he says, "A little
bit of class. A little bit of profesbit of class. A little bit of profes-
sionalism. Players' coach that really helps players do their job better." He stops and laughs at himself here. "That might be
only five words, and it's only three things. But they're things think are important to build a football team with tenacity and competitive character."
Asked directly this past Asked directly this past
month whether he would demand personnel power, Saban said flatly that he didn't want it. "It's really too big a job for one person,", he said.
But he added this: But he added this: "I do think
from an organization standfrom an organization standwhat you are looking for, and everybody has to be on the same page. That doesn't mean you
have to control it, but the people have to control it, but the people
who are out there doing it have to be doing it together as a gro
and you have to have teamIn other words, he wants he should have it Because that's how Belichick does it with Scott Pioli in New England, and Saban is a Belichick disciple, which is part of what makes him so co
ed now. A few days after win ning one Super Bowl, Belichick campus wan's office on Saban's other way around. If Saban wants current G.M. Rick Spielman gone or demoted or kept, $h$
should get what he wishes because Saban is, bar none, the most coveted free agent in coaching right now. Wannstedt didn't seem to be reading from the same book or
even in the same library. They couldn't agree on so much as their quarterback, only the
game's most important posit and that's why Wannstedt is gone, and Spielman's fate appears to be in Saban's hands now as Miami must put ever
thing on pause to begin thing on pause to begin the
token-interview charade.
This is Saban's job if he want it. And any minority inter-
viewed from here (Art Shell? viewed from here (Art Shell?
Really? Come on) is being sold Really? Come on) is being sold
an NFL-sponsored lie. This isn't racism as it is institutionalized imbalance White people tend to gravitate toward white people, AfricanAmericans toward African-
Americans, Hispanics tow Hispanics. It's human nature not prejudice.
We are drawn to those with similar backgrounds, experiences, cultures, lifestyles, likes.
Think of it this way: Look in mirror Now, think about the friends who come into your home, were in your wedding, call on your birthday. Aren't most of them the same color as
you? The people doing the hirin in the NFL - the Huizengas are white.
Look at
Look at the top of the corpo-
rate ladder in rate ladder in any of Huizenga's businesses, and you will see
mostly white people. Doesn't make him racist. Makes him comfortable with what he
And what he knows is this:
Anding San coup. And getting Saban some play ers would be an even bigger one DAN LE BATARD writes for The Miami


## BEN COMES UP BIG

## Roethlisberger outduels Manning

 as Steelers win 12th straight, 33-30
## Cincinnati signs Wilson; Braham done for season

## Associated Press CINCINNATI - Cincin

nati Bengals center Rich Bra ham, a former standout a West Virginia, was placed on
injured reserve Saturday, and injured reserve Saturday, and
will miss the rest of the season because of a knee injury. The Bengals signed rookie
halfback Quincy Wilson from halfback Quincy Wilson from squad to a three-year contract The 5-foot-9, 225-pound Wilson was a seventh-round pick out of West Virginia in the
2004 draft. Braham, who missed three
games earlier this season due games earlier this season due
to a previous knee injury to a previous knee injury,
started 10 games and was hurt started thast week, at New Engthis pas
land.
No details about the injury were immediately available. He is the 15th Bengals play-
er lost for the season since the start of training camp.
passes and set up Barber's go-ahea
touchdown with three completion of 15 yards or more. "I had fun because we were get ting some stur done, said Man ning, who completed 16 of 23 for 182
yards. "We were making plays, run ning the ball, the line was protecting receivers were making catching We got in a rhythm and it was back to playing footb
good feeling."
Roethlisberger hit five passes 34 or more yards in a much-hyped matchup with Manning, who only
had one longer than 20 yards.
and they congratulated each other after it was finished.
what it is liver want to remember lisberger, who also threw two inte ceptions. Randle El caught a 35 -yard touchpass to Verron Haynes for tho down. Jeff Reed kicked four field goals, Hines Ward had nine catches for 134 yards despite finishing the game with a hip pointer, and Bettis
ran for 140 yards for the Steelers. Manning threw touchdown passes of 2 yards to Jeremy Shockey and 1 yard to Marcellus Rivers. He also hit Amani Toomer with two 17-yard
passes and he added a 15 -varder to Ike Hilliard to set up Barber's goahead TD run.
Manning was sacked on a twoRoethlisberger then san
Roethlisberger then sandwiched passes of 9 and 11 yards to Ward
around a dump-offt to Bettis before hitting Randle El for 36 yards to the Giants 8 . Three straight runs by
Bettis got the ball in the end zone Willie Williams picked off a deep throw to a tripped Toomer on the next series and the Steelers ran out the clock.
Giants receiver Willie Ponder took the opening kickoff 91 yards game-opening kickoff return for a touchdown in a regular-season home The Steelers used trickery. the game with Randle El making the shovel pass after taking a lateral from Roethlisberger.
$\qquad$ o only one touchdown in 45 poser at quarterback, hit Shockey for a D on the next series.
Manning gave New York a $24-23$ Reed put Pittsburgh ahead. Reed put Pittsburgh ahead, 26-
24, with is 28 -yarder early in the
fourth quarter.

Redskins 26, 49ers 16 SAN FRANCISCO - Patrick touchdown, and linebacker and a nio Pierce returned one of Wash ington's four interceptions 78 yards for a score in a victory against San Francisco.
Clinton Portis rushed for 110 es for 111 yards and newcomer Jef Chandler kicked four field goals and still, the Redskins ( $5-9$ ) made many of the same mistakes tha have plagued them in the first sea-
son of coach Joe Gibbs' comeback son of coach Joe Gibbs' comeback
The offense scored its only touch down on its opening drive, and Washington committed 11 penalties for 93 yards to stay on pace to
break the franchise record. But when teams face San Fran cisco, they've got plenty of margin The Redskins took a 19-point lead late in the first half, and the sturdy
defense shut out the Niners' offense for more than 45 minutes between fror more than 45 minutes between Curtis Conway's scoring grab with 4:26 left. Ken Dorsey, making his fifth star in place of injured Tim Rattay, douseason, including three in the first half. He finished 20 -of 38 for 206 yards, but the 49ers (2-12) remained on track
for the top draft pick with more of the for the top draft pick with more of the
bland offense and step-slow defense that has defined their season. falo and New England, San Fran cisco could match the worst records in franchise history, set in 1978 and
1979 . ${ }^{1979 .}$ Chandler, the former 49ers kick er signed by Washington earlier in the week, made a 49-yard field goa and three short kicks in an impres-
sive debut. San Francisco's fans sive debut. San Francisco's fans run out of town for his short kickoffs and shaky accuracy

## Injury will sideline Bulger for another week

Shoulder bruise hinders former WVU standout

$\frac{\text { Knight Ridder Newspapers }}{\text { ST. LOUIS - Quarterback Marc }}$ Rams' game tod out the St. Louis zona Cardinals, as his bruised throwing shoulder has failed to heal as quickly as hoped. Chris Chandler will be the team's

$\qquad$ Jamie Martin will be backup,
while rookie Jeff Smoker will serve while rookie Jeff Smoker will serve as the third-st
quarterback.
"I don't think that we'll have Marc up for this game," Martz said of the former West Virginia stand-
out. "Just the follow-through both out. "Just the follow-through both-
ers him. It's not come along as fast as it did the first week. We're obvi ously not going to put him in there
when he's not ready and put him when he's not ready and put him
in jeopardy. We're fine with thes other guys. They'll do all right."

After doing some light throwing in practice on Wednesday and Thursball during practice Friday. Bulger said of his shoulder "It tidn' get much better the last two "It didns so think the rest will help.' Bulger said his shoulder is no ing that comes with playing quarterback in the NFL. "To throw during warmup is one
hing and to be where you know you need to be where you know you need to be to play a game is
totally different," Bulger said. "If
we could play 7 -on-7, I might be able to go, but if they got one hit (on the happen." der would be confident the shoul allow him to practice next week and play in the Rams' Monday night phia Eagles.
"That's what we were shooting for originally," Bulger said. "I think the extra day next week will help
That will put us $2^{1 / 2}$ weeks out, which That will put us $2^{1 / 2}$
Bulger was leading the NFL in
passing yards when he suffered a sack by San Francisco's Bryan Young in the first quarter of the Rams ${ }^{\text {16 }}$-6 win against the 49ers, on Dec. 5
"It's something wh 'You had the most attempts, that's why, Bulger said. It would be nice
to give our offense recognition and our receivers recognition if you can lead the league in passing. Not so much for me, but for Isaac's (Bruce) and Torry's (Holt) yards.
hard work.,
game of his 17 -year career. He threw
six interceptions in the Rams $20-7$ loss to the Carolina Panthers this past "I don't dwell on that really," Martz said of Chandler's interception
spree against the Panthers."We spree against the Panthers. "We
don't talk about it. We have to move don talk about it. We have to move
on. We go all through that, whether as a coach or a player. You experience that. He's a veteran. He knows how to respond. He'll come back and play well this week. It's unfortunate that happened, but it happened. It's done,
It's over with. Just don't make an It's over with. Just don't m
issue of it, and move on."


## U.K.'s Sparks wraps up comeback win vs. Cards

Wildcats trailed rival Louisville by 16 points at halftime


## Majerus

 backs out of USC jobNEW YORK - Rick
Majerus backed out of a deal to become Southern Califor nia's new basketball coach just days after his hiring, and
will stay at ESPN as a college basketball analyst. "Rick expressed to us that he had a change of heart and wondered if the possibility
still existed for him to work for still existed for him to work for
ESPN. And it does," spokesman Josh Krulewitz said Saturday night. "We told him he could (return)." Majerus, who cited health reasons when he retired as
January, after 15 seasons as January, atter wa seasons announced as the Trojans' incoming coach Wednesday. He was to assume the post on Aprill.
Majerus coached Utah to the national championship game in 1998, losing to Ken-
tucky. tucky.
that would have won it for the Lons horns.
(7) Duke 78, Oklahoma 67 NEW YORK - Duke (8-0) rallies The Blue ( $6-2$ ). halftime, but J.J. Redick had 19 of his 26 points and Daniel Ewing 12 of his 17 in the second half, and Shelde Williams scored seven points in a 10
2 run that got Duke back in it
(8) Syracuse 74, Drexel 54 SYRACUSE, N.Y.-Hakim War
rick scored 21 points and Darry rick scored 21 points and Darry Watkins had 14 points and 13
rebounds for his first career double double, leading Syracuse (9-1) past Drexel (3-4).
The Orange won their second straight after a loss to No. 4 Oklahoma State and did it by dominatin
the boards against Drexel, which managed just 17 rebounds to Syra cuse's 44 .
(10) Pitt 73, Coppin State 42 PITTSBURGH - Chris Taft
scored 18 points and grabbed 11 rebounds to help Pittsburgh (8-0) defeat Coppin State (2-7) Carl Krauser added 17 points for
the Panthers, who have won 2 con the Panthers, who have won 23 con
secutive non-conference games.
(15) Arizona 48, Marquette 43 MILWAUKEE - With leadin scorer Salim Stoudamire benched
Arizona ( $7-2$ ) relied on Chris Rodgers 16 points and key late layup to beat

Marquette (9-1) despite the Wild-
cats' lowest scoring output in nearly 20 years.
Arizona coach Lute Olson didn't say why he sidelined Stoudamire. The player was coming off a careerlow one field-goal attempt in a $67-62$ win against Utah, just Stoudamire's
third scoreless game in 101 at Ari-

## (19) George Washington 85

Towson 69
WASHINGTON - Pops MensahBonsu scored 15 points and Ricky Lucas added 13 of his season-high 14 George Washington (7-1) to its seventh straight win.
Omar Williams scored 10 of his 12 second half, and finished with eight rebounds for the Colonials
(21) Michigan State 63

Delaware State 45
EAST LANSING, Mich. - Chris Hill had 14 points, including four 3-
pointers, and Michigan State (6-2) trailing, $22-17$, late in the first half,

## Women

(1) LSU 66, SW Missouri 54 Augustus scored 19 points and LSU (10-0) fought off a second-half charge by Southwest Missouri State (4-4) with a late $16-0 \mathrm{run}$ in a victory in the
Triple Crown Classic.

## (2) Stanford 71, Missouri 55

 COLUMBIA, Mo. - Brooke Smith scored 16 points and Kelley Sumin ski added 13 on her 22nd birthday,(3) Duke 66, (20) Purdue 48 INDIANAPOLIS - Monique Curseven assists to lead Duke (10-1) past Purdue (6-3), in the Boilermaker
(22) Rutgers 66, Clemson 51 PISCATAWAY, N.J. - Rutgers (6turnovers and scored 11 of the final ${ }_{13} 13$ points from the foul line to defeat

## New Mexico 61

(23) Arizona State 45

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. - Abbie
Letz scored 16 points and the New Mexico (7-1) defense held Arizona
(24) Iowa 80, Drake 69 DES MOINES, Iowa - Crystal
Smith scored a career-high 33 points Smith scored a career-high 33 points and Jamie Cavey added 16 points, 13 rebounds and seven blocks, lead
ing Iowa (9-0) past Drake (5-3).

## (25) K-State 71, Alabama 52

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. - Mega Mahoney scored 22 points to lead 2), in the Triple Crown Classic.

Chaney nears 1,000th game, shows few signs of slowing
73 -year-old coach 'would like to stay as long as I can
 Eddie Sutton, Lute Olson and Mike Krzyzewski. think it's a number that's me," said Saint Joseph's coach Phil Martelli, in his 10th season. "Like a lot of things about Joh Chaney, it's hard to put your
hands around." Chaney, whose deep, dark
eyes seem fitting for a school whose mascot is the Owl, was amazed he's lasted so long thought," Chaney said. "It sur prised me when they told me I accomplished 700 wins. Chaney said though the games ple, the experiences and the sto ries that stand out.
names," he said "but all of their names," he said, "but soone Soon, Chaney is off on anoth story, this one about cooking eggs for his players at Cheyney State because a flu epidemic had
them quarantined. When Chane them quarantined. When Chaney
tells how the eggs turned a Dr Suess-like green, he bursts into a
fit of uncontrollable cackling.

EBL, junior high, D-II
Chaney dabbled as player-
coach toward the end of his
coach toward the end of his
career in the Eastern Basketball career in the Eastern Basketball
League, then started full time at Philadelphia's Sayre Junior High (1963-66) and Simon Gratz High (1966-72)
When Cheyney State came calling in 1972, Chaney was torn.
Chaney, though, was convinced he could affect more lives on the college level. Chaney had more concerns when he considered the Temple vacancy, in 1982. said. "I was happy with where I was. I always believed that success comes when you're very happy with what you do."
about-he went $2255-59$ and won
the NCAA D-II title in 1978 in 10 seasons with the Wolves.
Chaney's experienced Chaney's experienced so
much success that he has quite list of prolific games to choose from for his most memorable. His first game was a $68-58$ lo to East Stroudsburg. His first
win came the next game, on Dec. win came the next game, on Dec
5, 1972, 82-67 against Monmouth Chaney's favorite was Cheyney
how to make slides, how to pro
Temple coach John Chaney has collected more than 700 wins, but has never been to the NCAA Final Four - so far.
$47-40$ win against WisconsinGreen Bay in the 1978 Division II
title game. title game al championship game at a championship game at
Cheyney in ${ }^{\prime} 78$ stands out the most," he said. "And my first time here getting into the NCAA
stands out. How exciting it was stands out. How exc.,
for all the students."
After a losing record his first season at Temple, Chaney took the Owls to the NCAA Tournament 17
times in 18 years. Before his arrival, the Owls had never played in consecutive tournaments. The Owls have slipped the past three seasons, making the
NIT. This year's team is $3-5$ and game No. 999 was a three-point game No. 999 was a three-point
loss against No. 6 Wake Forest Though Temple still has nonconference games with Top 25 teams Maryland and Duke,
Chaney believed the Owls can return to the tournament. "If we continue to play like the way we have been playing
against the top teams if we get against the top teams, if we get
there, my team will be ready," said.

## A teacher first

No surprise there. After all,
Chaney considers himself a
teacher first, educating his play teacher everything from the
matchup zone to a history lesson on the greats of the game - all
usually done in those famous 530 usually done in those famous 5:30
a.m. practices.
The ones who are willing to
put up with the no-frills put up with the no-frills approach and a raspy trail of
four-letter words have usually four-letter words have usually the Owls to 21 straight postseason appearances, including five appearances in the regional
finals (1988, 1991, 1993, 1999
2001). remains the one void in his
"You only have to have lightning one time and I would like During practice, Chaney still takes the court, shouting tips and showing reminders of what made
him the 1951 Philadelphia Pub League player of the year.
"He's out there showing us guard Mardy Collins said. "He" be dribbling and he II tell some he throws an elbow or something like that." Chaney - who once threat-
ened to kill then-Massachusetts coach John Calipari during an infamous confrontation - hasn't mellowed with age. During time-
outs, he normally sits - make outs, he normally sits - make
that squirms, swivels, points and shouts - on a chair in the middle of the huddle. Pity the poor refs who must live with 40 min utes of hollering and foot-stomp-
ing after every tight play. ing after every filled with the sam
Chaney's fill nervousness and superstitions before games as when he played.
On a recent drive to practice he On a recent drive to practice, he
threw his car in reverse and took threw his car in reverse and took
another street after nearing a black cat. He'll never wear a designer tie again after a loss.
His winning ties, mostly gray, His winning ties, mostly gra
are neatly folded in a drawer are neatly folded in a drawer
behind his office desk. Before every game, he'll reach in and grab one for luck. So far, he's
picked a winner more often than

## Learn to play gol

 Chaney hears the grumbling gaining steam that he's too old to coach because the Owls havemissed the tournament lately missed the tournament lately
But Chaney feels he still has something positive to offer. And when he stops coaching? "I need to find a way to play
golf," he said. "I don't play golf. Maybe 111 learn how to play
golf," Until then, it's more early morning practices and more
afternoon bull sessin knows? Maybe that Final Four is still within reach. For Chaney,
the last 999 games don't matter the next one is only one that counts. "I always look forward to the "I always look forward to the
next moment, the next game, the next time you go out,", Chaney
said. "As long as you're involved said. "As long as you're involved
in sports, you must always have
a vision. It should be something a vision. It should be something



## Some things negative for hunting

## EDITORIAL

Ross was wrong; let's move on

Sen. doesn't understand what he did wrong in voting for funding

Former state Sen. Mike Ross still doesn't under stand what he did wrong when he voted, along with other state legislators, to give $\$ 750,000$ of state money to the Pete Dye Gol
Ross, who was defeated for re-election last month still faces charges brought about by the state ethics commission.
He said during his hearing that he didn't have any more to gain than the other 500 members of the Bridgeport golf club. However, he is the only member of the club who voted to give our tax dollars to the club to put on a tournament.
Ross' relationship with the club is stronger than most. In 2001, he

The whole mess could have been avoided if Ross simply had removed himself from the voting, citing a possible con measure probably measure probably
would have passed would have
anyway. In hindsight, Ross agrees. loaned Pete Dye Golf Club owners $\$ 7$ million and thus has exclusive privileges that other members do not, including lifetime membership for himself, hi family and his heirs The whole mess could have been avoided if Ross simply had removed him self from the voting, cit ing a possible conflict of interest. The measure passed anyway.
In hindsight, Ross agrees
"If this came up again, you better believe I would have taken myself out of (voting)," he was quoted in an Associated Press hearing story.

That would have been the wise thing to do
Seemingly, the voters in Ross’ district must have also felt things weren't done properly. He blames the negative publicity generated by the ethics investigation for his defeat.
We think justice has been done. The voters have spoken, and Ross will not be able to steer tax dollar anywhere, at least for the next two years.
We don't believe Ross was underhanded or tried to gain personally from this deal. Obviously, someone who can loan $\$ 7$ million has enough money.
But when you're dealing with other people's money, you must be extra careful.
Ross wasn't.
In addition, it wasn't as though he were alone guiding the money to the course. He was just one of a majority who voted in favor of the measure. Ross said he doesn't even play golf and that he
We think the continuation of the hearings is a waste of public time and money. The voters have spo ken. Allow Ross and everybody else to go on with their lives.
Even if Ross doesn't understand what he did wrong, his electorate surely does.
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## Meet the new advisory board

 Ev EvERY COMMUNITY is defined by common interests, its locality andits laws - its likeness. But at the
very same time, its differences also embody what makes up a The Dom
aims to reflect our community in its pages daily as this region's
newspaper of record. One of the most effective ways we do this is by listening to our readers' advi
via our Community Advisory Board.
This board, composed of 12
members, is replaced annually the interests of new ideas and a fresh perspective on ou
nity and its newspaper.
Recently, the newspaper's edi-
torial board chose the latest doze members to sit on this panel for one year. This decision was not
easy. More than 40 people applied for a spore on the advisory board his fall. This year's board is as
different as it is alike. It runs the spectrum from a CEO to a social
worker, from a lifelong Preston County resident to a recent arrival from the Washington,
D.C., area, and from a retiree wion D.C., area, and from a retiree who
helped integrate WVU in the mid 1950 s to a young oncology nurse
who treats the terminally ill. We are fortunate to be able count these men and women as
our neighbors and as members of our neighbors and as members of
this newspaper's advisory board. With that said, we want to briefly introduce you to The Dominion Post's 2004-2005 Co ROBERT CLONCH and
ROBERT CLONCH and his wife complete their graduate work at complete their graduate work at includes stints as the first coach of a girls basketball team at University High School, an adminis
trator for Monongalia County trator for Monongalia County
Schools and for the past decade, he has been employed by the U.S Department of Energy.
years of his life in public educ ion following his calling in life as elementary school counselor in Monongalia County and past state president of the West Virginia
Counseling Association and the West Virginia Schor Counselo

SABRINA CAVE is the mother of a 10 -month-old son and may parenting than many of us because she serves as the director of the Mountaineer Parents Clu at WVU. Her primary duties
include working with the pare of the 18,000 undergraduates who are still very much involved in heir children's education.
JAMES SHUMWAY is well known as one of the top educator enter, but who is equally

## Kerik's immigration sin and ours


nomination for secrary Kerik land Security has revived the "nanny issue" from the 1990s. Lik two failed Clinton nominees for attorney general, Kerik employed an illegal immigrant as a nanny taxes on her labor. Whether the nanny was really the main proble with Kerik's troubled nomination
is open to debate - media vultures is open to debate - media vultures are still picking away at his record - but the brouhaha sheds light on can immigration enforcement The political elite, which other wise maintains an unshakable insouciance about the widespread disregard for the country's immigration laws, seems to think these
laws should only be vigorously enforced when it comes to people nominated for Cabinet posts. If yo might one day be considered for one of the nation's 15 Cabinet-level agen cies, you must act as if immigration laws mean something. This double tandard is, of course, absurd. We het nominees pay income taxes or abide by drug or labor laws. But politicos seem to realize that the largely upper-middle-class indulgence of hiring illegal house ple nominated to enforce our laws, risks igniting a populist revolt best avoided. Thus Kerik - nominated

adept at singing the praises of the wild and wonderful in West Virginia. His nncludes kayating recreation includes kayaking climbing. He is also active on statewide organization that promotes the interests of our river
SAM WILKINSON is SAM WILKINSON is a young father who is employed as a full-
time social worker. He served in timp positions at two college news. papers while he was a student and is a Morgantown native.
MARY WALLIS GUTMANN relocated to Morgantown within
the past year after marrying a the past year after marrying a
local physician. Her professional local physician. Her professional experience includes seven years
producing and editing a community newspaper in the 1970s in the Northeast. After a hiatus from
journalism, she returned to ne papers five years ago where she papers five years ago where she
worked for a group of small busi-
lies. DR. DAVID Z. MORGAN is a retired emeritus professor of
internal medicine at WVU's medical center, who simply likes to be known as a family doctor. He is a past president of the local Red Cross chapter, the Monongalia County Medical Society and the
West Virginia State Medical Asso

## RICHARD GARLITZ hails from

 Preston County and embodies the spirit of this area's residents. He is the retired plant manager of a major airplane parts manufactur-the Interstate 79 Strategic Planning Committee and the Mid-

## GERALDINE BELMEAR is a

 ver to mathematics and is still involved in public school affairs She has been employed at a varitime, including the federal Bureau of Census and was appointed as WVU's first directorof its
tlack Student its Black Student Affairs Offic
ERIC SOLLINGER is a recent ERIC SOLLINGER is a recent marketing communications for one of the nation's top defense contractors via telecommute. His very first ob at the age of 11 was a paper route n Akron, Ohio, and he's had opinons about newspapers ever since.
J. THOMAS JONES serves as J. THOMAS Jond CEO of the We Virginia United Health System, which comprises WVU Hospitals in Morgantown and the United Hospital Center in Clarksburg. He
grew up in Morgantown but has pent much of his life living in other parts of the state, includin Wheeling and Huntington.
LORRIE YOUNG is an on
LORRIE YOUNG is an oncolog serves in the Women's Ministry at oles in the hospital and the hurch, she spends much of ime with the old and young, who are going through very different ages of their lives.

## RTM RICH <br> do it." Nonsense. Open-borders advocates make it sound as though

 LOWRYhead a department with responsibility for immigration enforcement,
for goodness' sake! - had to go. And for goodness sake! - had to go. And
he really had no excuse. Verifying an employee's legality is usually only a matter of asking for docu-
mentation or calling an 800 num mentation or calling an 800 number or immigration-document number. As the ton of bricks descends on Kerik, however, it is worth noting the stew of hypocrisy surrounding this issue. Last year, the same congressional Democrats now tsk-tsk-
ing the loudest about his fall initial ing the loudest about his fall initial gram available in several states to allow employers to get an instant check from the federal government on the legal status of prospectiv employees. Democrats cited, it would discriminate against Hispanics. Republicans suspected the Democrats just didn't want to mak enforcement any easier. The expan sion eventually passed, and the sys
tem is now available nationwide tem is now available nationwide
On the nanny issue, Kerik has
his quasi-defenders: "Everyone doe it," they say, "everyone is forced to
advocates make it sound as though
there were never any housekeepers or nannies prior to the house of mass illegal immigration. There were. And somehow today, in those large waths of the country without any
illegal immigrants to speak of, people still manage to get their houses cleaned and their children cared for The reliance on illegal labor on the coasts and in major urban area
is deeply corrupting. It fosters a casual contempt for the law amon those who do the hiring, and it hur he country's most economically vulnerable citizens. Poorly educated workers who might compete for the kind of jobs taken by illegals are or see their wages cut by the unfair competition. Democrats and Republicans both tend to buck popular sen timent to defend this status quo for heir own reasons - Democrats to cans to pander to businesses that like cheap labor with no rights. All of this is why immigration laws should apply much more broadly than just to Bernie Kerik careless to have observed the law in his own household.
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is also the author of the recently released
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## Democrats

 need to look forward nowFour Years ago, the president
won 49 percent of the vote. The Republican Party treated it like was a mandate, and we let then
get away with it. Fifty-one get away with it. Fifty-one per-
cent is not a mandate either. And this time we're not goin
them get away with it. Our challenge today is not to
re-hash what has happened, but re-hash what has happened, bu
to look forward ho make the to look forward, to make the
Democratic Party a 50 -state party Democratic Party a so-state
again, and most importantly, to
win.
The pundits have said that this election was decided on th
issue of moral values. I don't issue of moral values. I don't
believe that. It is a moral value to provide heducate our young peo-
value to edeca
ple. The sense of community that comes from full participation in our democracy is a moral value.
It is a moral value to make sure that we do not leave our own debts to be paid by the next ge
eration. Honesty is a moral
value.
If this election had been decid ed on moral value
would have won.
It is time for the Democratic
Reform is the hallmark of a strong Democratic Party. Those who stand in the wa of reform cannot be the focus of our of our

attention for only four should not months out of every four years. $\quad$ reform in | Reform is a | $\begin{array}{l}\text { elections, } \\ \text { reform in }\end{array}$ |
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tion, that promote ethical business practices. And, yes, we need to
talk about some internal reform in the Democratic Party as wel
Reform is the hallmark of a strong Democratic Party Those who stand in the way of
reform cannot be the focus of our reform cannot be the focus of our
attention for only four months out of every four years.
Reform is a daily battle And we must pursue those day, at all levels, in 50 states. A little while back, at a fund
raiser, a woman came up to She identified herself as an evangelical Christian from Texas. I asked her what you are all won-
dering - why was she supporting me. She said there were two rea-
sons. The first was that she had child who had poly-cystic kidney disease, and that the illness made
it impossible for their family to it impossible for
"The second thing she said was, "The other reason we're with you are people of deep conviction, and you're a person of deep convic-
tion. I may not agree with you on

## Road projects all have merits, but which come first?


focused on improving/widening the Pastureland Parkway, a limited access road connecting W.Va.
705 , near the intersection of Stewartstown Road with US of Stewbottom of Easton Hill.

As presented by the supporter of the Pastureland Parkway, the than shift the congestion off the Mileground onto the Parkway itself. Unless there is going to
series of elaborate ramps and series of elaborate ramps and tional traffic lights added to W.Va. 705 and U.S. 119 at the Park way's endpoints. It also doesn't take a ot of imagination to see another traffic light on the Parkthat is taking place on the side of Easton Hill.

I'm not an engineer, but I see a
$\square$ Southbound traffic on U.S.
19 coming around the curve at

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ic stopped at the Parkway traffic light. Once through that light, in a few hundred yards.
$\square$ Traffic leaving Morgantown ven farther by adding the addi tional light that will connect to he Parkway within a hundred yards or so of the existing traffic light at the Stewartstown Road intersection.
$\square$ The volume of traffic leaving Morgantown via W.Va. 705 will
quickly overcome any improvements made as the current and proposed development in this area is completed.
Next is the First Things First proposal of improving/widening xisting roads, such W.Va. 705 (among others). There's nothing wrong with improving existing roads, but there's one fun damental flaw with this proposal.
this group proposes putting thes already overcrowded roads under
The traffic is already unbear able and there's nowhere for it to go. If you want a taste of what it
will be like try driving through will be like, try driving through
Sabraton this month during ru hour. Then picture Beechhurst and University under construc tion - for years.
That leaves us with the West
Run Expressway. The northern Run Expressway. The northern part of Morgantown is experien
ing tremendous growth. A quick look at a map will show you that the natural boundary of the Monongahela River forces new development to the north and east
With that growth comes increased With that growth comes increased
traffic, and there is nowhere for it to go but onto our already overburdened roadways. To relieve the stress, we've got to give that traffic somewhere else to go. During the construction of the
mpacted $b$ will be minimally mpacted because the road itself oad is opened, mover, once the orthern part, motorists in the at out part of Morgantown can get out of town quickly. Once the volume of traffic on the existing start making the improvements advocated by First Things First. least then there will be an escape oute from all the construction. The loudest argument made against the West Run Expresswa seems to come from businesses on
the currently jam-packed roads. wonder if these businesses have considered the fact that perhaps their bottom-line will improve? m sure I'm not the only person who avoids the Mileground like
the plague because of the traffic. When was because of the traft time you sat i bumper to bumper traffic, looked off to the side of the road at a store and said, "I think I'll stop and hop at that store instead of sit ing in this traffic?" With less trat

Beechurst/Universit and Beechurst/University, consumers
will be more inclined to visit businesses in those areas.
All three proposals have their meround whe argument center that the answer is in the logistics. Give the traffic somewhere to go, then improve
which it came.
It's time to put aside our selfish interests and do sothing selfis, important for all of the Morgantown area. It's been almost seven years since the 2020 Transportation Plan told us to build the West
Run Expressway. At the rate Run Expressway. At the rate guess what the 2040 Transportation Plan is going to say?

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EITERS TO THE EDITOR
Solution to pedestrian
crossing issue is possible
I am responding to the article
concerning pedestrians crossing
Mon Boulevard at the (Edith B.
Barill) Star City Bridge.
I live in the Star City area and
am also a frequent pedestrian. I
have a possible solution to to the
hazards of crossing on foot there.
While standing on the rail-trail
under the bridge, you see a large
hill of dirt leading to the parking
lot at Foodland. Why not grade
and pave this making a path con-
necting the trail with the parking
lot?
This would make things handi-
cap accessible as well as more
pedestrian friendly. It may also
give the trail a boost. Ihope offi-
cials give this some thought. It
could turn out to be just the solu-
tion needed. It can be ery haz-
ardous to cross there. I know from
experience.
Margaret Carrico
Star City

is the high cost of health care that
many small businesses struggle to many small businesses struggle
pay for their employees. The pay for their employees. The
threat of lawsuits drives up costs for healthcare providers, which then get passed on to the public. Medical treatments and health care services disappear due to
lawsuit abuse.
Simply put, West Virginia's mall business owners face a daunting task. The costs of start ing and maintaining a successfful small business are increased sig-
nificantly by our broken court nificantly by our broken court
system. Often, the burden is too system. Often, the burden is too
much to bear. National studies estimate that West Virginia will lose more than 10,000 jobs by the year 2006 because of our unfair legal climate. Clearly, West Vir-
ginians can't afford to pay the ginians can't afford to pay the much longer.
To find out

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## Reader thanks Marshall

how our state's out-of-control legal system affects West Virginia small
businesses, visit www wyiustice businesses, visit www.wvjustice-
watch.org or contact West Virginia Justice Watch, a project of WV Citizens Against Lawsuit Abuse, at (866) Watch-WV.

Bill Bissett
executive director
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## for visit to schools

I had the pleasure of listenins to Rasheed Marshall give the graduation speech to a very excit-
ed and attentive group of DARE students from St. Francis and North Elementary schools. We, as in what Rasheed have deligh in what Rasheed has done for
showed what he does off the field is more important. For Rashee
take time away from his busy take time away from his busy
finals week, to hand each student a certificate, speaks volumes about the character and class of this young man. Rasheed might
be completing his competition for be completing his competition
WVU in the upcoming Gator Bowl, but his performance tod might have been his best, at least for this lucky group of elementary
students. students.
Congratulations Rasheed on such a fine career at WVU, and I
wish you the best in the future. With the class, charisma and leadership that you exhibit, both on and off the field, you will go far.
This Moun
This Mountaineer fan is also a
is! Marshall fan, Rasheed that

Chris Brown
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## Why the Republicans beat the Democratic 527 s in getting out vote


dinate with a political party or
candidate. America Coming candidate. America Coming
Together (ACT) and the MoveOn.org Voter Fund, the leading pro-Democratic 527 s , spent $\$ 125$ million and $\$ 21$ million respectively during the campaign
These 527 s employed thouThese 527s employed thousands of paid, professional orga-
nizers to contact potential voters ACT, for instance, brought in activists from New York, Califor nia and Massachusetts to work in key battleground states such as
Ohio. In that state, ACT's army of canvassers knocked on 3.7 million doors, held more than 1.1 million doorstep conversations and registered 85,000 new voters.
Including the efforts of the Including the efforts of the other 527s, liberal activists regis tered a total of 300,000 new voters in Ohio.
Traditionally, Democrats won
in Republican-leaning Ohio by in Republican-leaning Ohio by
boosting turnout in Democratic boosting turnout in Democrati
counties and minimizing the

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 GOP-margin of victory in Republican counties. In DemocraticCuyahoga County, where Cleve. Cuyahoga County, where Cleve-
and is located, ACT's goal was to get at least 350,000 votes for Kerry which presumably would ensure victory statewide. ACT exceeded that number; Kerry received 433,262 . Overall, Kerry's 2.66 mil-
lion votes were the most a Democlion votes were the most a Democ
Ohio.
But it wasn't enough. The Republican voter mobilization campaign in Ohio as elsewhere
was run strictly by the GOP and was run strictly by the GOP and
did not include 527s. And unlike did not include 527s. And unlike
the Democrats, the Republicans relied on unpaid, local volunteers This gave the GOP a major advan tage over the Democrats. Living in the communities targeted by
the GOP, these volunteers took he GOP, these volunteers took
advantage of social networks, such as church groups and home
schooling associations, to contact
friends, neighbors and relatives. friends, neighbors and relatives.
Nationally, in the last 72 hours of the campaign, the Party's 1.4 milthe campaisn, the Party's 1.4 milby phone or knocking on the door at least 15 million voters. 527s significantly boosted the 527s significantly boosted the
Democratic vote in a few key urban counties, the Republicans broke records in dozens of GOP leaning counties. Indeed, the 10
counties with the highest percentcounties with the highest percent
age of voter turnout went for age of voter turnout went
Fush.
Florida was no different Thanks in large part to ACT, Kerry received far more votes
than Al Gore in 2000. For exam. than Al Gore in 2000. For exam-
ple, in the nine critical counties ple, in the nine critical counties
running along the Interstate 4 cor ridor between St. Petersburg and Daytona Beach, Kerry picked up 206,000 more votes than Gore. While impressive, Bush did even
better, adding 334,000 votes to his 2000 numbers. The Democratic
victory strategy was premised on Florida if he could get 3.31 million votes. Kerry in fact received 3.57 million votes. Yet Bush comfortbly won the state by $52-47$ per
The Florida case again showed the superiority of the volunteers conducting face-to-fac canvassing. Bruce Cain, a Univer ity of California Berkeley politi cal science professor, says that the Democratic 527s actually irri-
tated potential voters. "They have to rethink the strategy of bringing people in from out-of-state. This tactic seems to backfire," conclu The issue of coordination
highlights the limitations in using 527s. The Republicans So successful because they employed the Republican Party pparatus to mount a centralized voter mobilization campaign. T
Democrats, on the other hand,
were plagued by an unwieldy net-
work of labor, civil rights, 527 and work of labor, civil rights, 527 and
other groups that were legally prohibited from coordinating with the Democratic Party. This frequently led to situations where
the groups were working at crossthe groups were working at cross-
purposes to the Kerry campaign purposes to the Kerry campaign,
causing a duplication of effort and sending confusing messages. Prior to the election, many political analysts were impressed by the emergence of the 527 s , some even speculating that the might replace the pointical hapen. As evidenced by the superiority of
the Republican Party the Republican Party-led voter outreach effort over the 527 -led
Democratic effort, the 2004 elec Democratic effort, the 2004 elec
tion proves that the political par ties still reign supreme.
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## Bruceton Bank

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in 1903 , it operates through six offices in Bruceton Mills, King. wood, Morgantown and Reedsville. It can be found on the BauerFinancial Inc., in Coral Gables, Fla, is the nation's lea
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## Gossard takes new post

 with Galaxy Global Tracy Gossard has beenadded to the Galaxy Global

director of busi-
ness developness develop-
ment. She will
begin her new position on Jan. 3. Galaxy Global
is based at the Alan B. Mollo-
han Innovation Center, Fair-
mont. Gossard, a
Charleston native, formerly
served ase Energy Village, a non-profit orga nization formed to assist in the growth of energy and environmental technology businesses i
West Virginia. from WVU and a master's degree
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SBA offering help with federal contracts programs are now offered by th U.S. Small Business Adminis-
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ment.
SBA's West Virginia Distric Office will be holding a workshop on these programs from 1-3 p.m.
Jan. 5 at 320 West Pike St., Clarksburg.
Minorities, women, veterans and handicapped individuals are especially encouraged to attend
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The free workshop is open to the public.
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## New Sabraton bank

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announced William B. Grant, chairman of the David B
Kelley tors and CEO. WVU graduate with a bachelo
of science degree in education He also graduated from the BAI School of Banking at the Univer sity of Wisconsin. Kelley lives in
Morgantown.

Holiday season tipping is a win-win situation

NEW YORK (KRT) - As you
check off items on your holiday to do list, don't forget to tip your hair dresser, baby sitter and other ser vice providers.
Holiday tips Holiday tips are a traditional
way of showing your way of showing your appreciation
to the people who make your life eas ier throughout the year. Tipping is also a way to ensure that you continue to receive quality service the year to come, says Jodi R.R. Smith, president and founder o quette consulting firm.
So who should receive a tip Smith suggests you include: nannie or baby sitters, your building super

## Show your appreciation to the people who make your life easier throughout the ye

intendent, maids or housekeepers, leamn maintenance or snour newspaper removal hair stylist, manicurist, garbage removal team and other servic people you regularly use. You should base the amount on
typically pay your housekeeper
$\$ 100$ per week, you should tip at
least $\$ 100$. Ask neighbors or other
patrons what is typically given.
The amount can vary widely,
depending on where you live. "You
need to be able to judge what is
appropriate for you," says Smith.
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## Ensure that you continue to receive quality service in the year to come.

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There are other neople you inter nize for their service, but should be notes thit rather than a tip. Smith ostal and otherkers, such a
accept money Others such ted to accept money. Others, such as teach-
ers, might be insulted by being tipped. You might consider small tokens of your appreciation or gift cards for these people. If handing out tips has caught year to add in tips to your holiday budget. Otherwise, "the end of year crunch can be very painful," Smith says. The only way to avoid tip-
ping and not be labeled a miser, ping and not be labeled a miser,
she says, is to stay away from people and establishments that will
expect tips - for example, by eating fast food instead of visiting a sitdown restaurant

## Analysts: Toys R Us still has hot toys, Wal-Mart is depleted

Discounter disputes shelves are lacking NEW YORK (AP) - With one
week left until Christmas, cus tomers can still find some of the Talking House and Bella DancerelTalking House and Bella DancerelBut it's a different story at rival tory of many of the popular items has been depleted. We outcome of 2004 holiday on ing, the nation's second-largest oy seller behind Wal-Mart has been determined not to let the Bentonville, Ark.-based discounter
"We are in great stock with all the hot toys. ... This is when we shine," said Kathleen Waugh, a spokeswoman at the Wayne, N.J. based retailer, which went back to
its toy suppliers last month to reorder some of the surprise hits
Those include Spin Master Ltd.'s Aqua Doodle, a coloring mat with water-filled pens, and Mattel Inc.' tale Dora, a 15 -inch doll that comes


The only hot toy that customers won't be able to find at Toys R Us
this weekend is Tyco Toys Inc's Terrain Twister, a radio-controlled vehicle, Waugh said. The best weapon Toys R Us has is its ability as the industry's largest toy specialist to predict the hottest in stock. the hot toys has been on target Other popular toys that are selling out but that the toy seller still has in stock are Hasbro Inc.'s Video VTech Holdings Ltd.'s VTechV.Smile, an interactive learngame station.
McGowan said based on last week's spot check of 25 hot toys, Toys R Us was in stock on 68 percent of the items on his list. That compared with 56 percent for Target
and 48 percent for Wal-Mart. Mark Rowan, an analyst at dential Equity Group, LLC, said Toys R Us was in stock on 82 percent of the items on his list of 28 hot
toys, while Target had 72 percent. Wal-Mart had only 44 percent "I am finding huge holes" Wal-Mart, McGowan said

## Some retailers require photo identification for returned items

$\qquad$ can't be far behind. Just be sure to bring along your receipt - and, in some cases, a photo ID, too.
Some retailers have begun implethat require photo identification - such as a driver's license - to complete the return, even if the returner has a receipt and pric
tags are still on the item. The reason? Fraud. According to the National Retail Federation dise are costing the industry $\$ 16$ billion annually. Authority and Guess among Sport now require photo IDs for returns At some retailers, those IDs are scanned, and personal information including name, address and

"whether the person is displaying fraudulent or abusive behavior." Return Exchange, which declined about 1 percent of returns are fraudulent - meaning they are return of stolen or used merchandise that would not qualify for a refund The company declined to be more specific about how it uses the infortial frauds.
Anthony Hebron, a spokesman for Express parent Limited Brands Inc, returns faster and safer for customers. "All it does is speed up the process and make it more secure, he said. "If there are multiple returns
at multiple locations, the system says ‘denied."'
If this happens, Express tells the customer to call Return Exchange to clear up the problem.


Jeff Kurcaba cooks a Cozy Inn hamburger at the Casablanca Hot Spot

Casablanca Hot Spot Cafe


## Seniors intrigued by idea of cruising through retirement

And perhaps most importantly, the allure of being in the warm weather all year and visiting exotic
places might persuade some resistant seniors to get the care they need. "It comes to a point where they can't live at home alone," Lindquist said. "That's the hardest thing to do to send someone to an assisted-liv-
ing facility. No one thinks they're old enough."
The authors acknowledge that rew members would have to receive additional training, such as in dispensing pills and helping the elder-
ly get dressed. And only seniors who weren't bedridden or seriously ill could live at sea.

"With assisted living, these are pretty much independent seniors.
They'd need help with maybe one or two activities, meal preparation, Lindquist said.
The study calculated an annual cost in a double cabin on a Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. ship at about Yahoo's travel Web site had prices as low as $\$ 399$ per person in a double cabin for a seven-night cruise in Cruise Line Ltd. ship. Port charges taxes and government fees could bring that up to about $\$ 26,000$ a year



A passenger aboard the Norwegian Spirit (left) walks beside the pool Friday, before the ship sails from the Port of Miami in Miami. Drs. Lee A. Lindquist (above, left) and Robert M. Golub pose for a photo, Wednesday
at Northwestern Memorial Hospital in Chicago. The two doctors did a recent at Northwestern Memorial Hospital in Chicago. The two doctors did a recent
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America's more than 35 million people who are age 65 or older. About 800,000 Americans with
an average age of 80 are in assisted an average age of 80 are in assisted
living facilities, according to the National Center for Assisted Living. ly people living on each ship, so companies wouldn't have to worry
about being known as "the old folks cruise," Lindquist said. That way they could also mingle with a
younger crowd, said Lindquist, who got the idea after taking a cruise got the idea after taking a cruise
with her parents, who are in their late 50 s.

So far, the cruise industry hasn't enthusiastically responded to the proposal. The two biggest cruise and Royal Caribbean, refused to comment on the plan.
About 9.8 million people traveled on cruise ships last year and more than a quarter were 60 or older,
according to industry figures. But the International Council of Cruise Lines, a trade group that represents the major companies, pared to handle a large number of permanent residents with special medical needs
"Cruises are intended to be a
vacation. They're not intended to be a long-term assisted-living facil-
ity", said council presidentMichae
Crye.
Cruise lines have also been marketing themselves to a more active crowd over the past two decades,
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that the typical passenger was "new lywed, overfed or nearly dead." Crye said none of the council's members were considering
Lindquist's idea, but agreed one day Lindquist's idea, but agreed one day
there might be a market for this there might be a market for this
type of cruising. "Baby boomers are going to be over the next decade or 20 years people that are going to be in this category," he said.
The proposal might work, but The proposal might work, but
it's more likely just a "romantic it's more likely just a "romantic
idea," said Richard Grimes, president and CEO of Assisted Living Feder ation of America. Assisted-living homes are regulated in all 50 states but there would be little control at sea
because most ships are foreign because most ships are foreign
flagged and travel in international waters, he said.
Grimes also didn't think "there want to call the people who would their home. "'d love to think I could go out on a cruise ship and live out my life," he said. "But the fact is that as people get older they want to But Fay Aubuchon, 52, of St Peters, Mo., thinks that when she has grandchildren, they would have
plenty of reasons to visit if she and her husband lived on a ship. "The kids would love to come because granny has a great swim
ming pool," said Aubuchon, one ming pool," said Aubuchon, one of "To me, I can't imagine anything better than that.
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Inc. has begun full production at its new medium-caliber facility West Virginia, the company In cooperation with the U.S. Naval Sea Systems Command, the new line will produce components for $20 \mathrm{~mm}, 25 \mathrm{~mm}$ and
30 mm caliber ammunition. It will also produce mechanical fuzes for ammunition and warhead liners for Hellfire, Brimstone, Javelin and 120 mm tank The new facility in Mineral The new facility in Minera about 5 million components a ear, and employ 60 to 70 people. Edina, Minn.-based ATK is a
$\$ 2.4$ billion company employing 13,700 people in 23 states.

## Fairmont woman honored

 for dissertationDr. Kammi Kai Hefner of Fairmont is the winner of the Phi
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Harris, president of the WVU Harris, president of the WVU
Chapter, during a recent awards ceremony at Elizabeth Moore
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The biennial award recognizes
a scholar who shows promise for noteworthy contributions to educational research.
Hefner also has hat after rigorous peen notified her paper has been accepted for, publication by the Association for he Advancement of Computing in
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## Two new dentists <br> wo new dentists

Join area offices
Wilmar Inc. announced two
new dentists with the firm's
offices.
Dr. Stefan Cho-Polizzi has joined the staff at TLC Dental Associates, 1830 Listravia Ave.
Sabraton.
Dr. Randy Owen splits his schedule between three Wilmar organizations: Wilson Martino Dental Associates of 1016 Maple
Drive, Morgantown; TLC Dental Associates, 1830 Listravia Ave., Sabraton; and Wilson Martino, Dental Associates, 930 W. Main St., Bridgeport. of Dentistry, Cho-Polizzi decided to practice dentistry in this area because of the kind, hard-working nature of the people who live in
our state. He finds the residents of our state. He finds the residents of and easy to talk to. Cho-Polizzi grew up in Fort Bragg, Calif., and now lives in
Morgantown with his wife Morgantown with his wife, guitar, exercise, auto mechanics and spending time with his family For appointments with ChoPolizzi: TL
A graduate of the Virginia Commonwealth University School of Dentistry in Richmond, Va., Owen chose to practice dentistry kindness and generosity of its res
idents. Aside from practicing den Aside from practicing den-
tistry, he enjoys fishing, basket avid Washington Redskins and NASCAR fan.
Owen, of Morgantown, joined
the dental organization in he dental organization in Augu Owen: Wilson Martino Denta Associates at $596-6605$ or $842-7568$ or TLC Dental Associates at 292-

## Ketcham joins Augusta

 as admin coordinator Pat Esposito, chief executive announced that Susan Ketcham has joined Augusta Systems as administrative coordinator. Ketcham previously served in he Pittsburgh Life Sciences Greenhouse.
## Local orthodontist

 named to AAO board A. Lacal orthodontist Dr. Gregory three-year term as delegate from West Virginia and the Southern Association of Orthodontists to the American Association of Lacy will help set policy that governs the approximately 8,000 orthodontists who belong to the organization. He is a member of the Southern Association of Association of Orthodontists, the American Dental Association and he West Virginia Dental Association.Lacy received his DDS and He opened his orthodontics prac tice in Morgantown in 1986 and

## State insurance group

 elects new officersThe West Virginia Association new officers at the 89th annual meeting. They are:

Mar E. Mcallister of Safe Insurance Co., Huntington, presi

Michael Fallon of Farmers and Mechanics Insurance Co., Marinsburg, vice president. ive Association, Baker secre tary/treasurer.
Frank Norton Jr. of Safe Insur ance Co., assistant secretary. of Insurance Companies is made up of insurance companies based in West Virginia selling property and casualty insurance to West

## Edstrom elected

 state ABC president The Associated Builders and announced Adam Edstrom as heir new chapter president. In West Virginia, ABC represhop construction and construc tion-related firms. It is a chapter of a national association repreenting more than 20 chaon memberwww.dominionpost.com

## State Baptists name

 new head executive The West Virginia Baptist Con voted to hire Dr. David L Carr as the executive minister for the West Virginia Baptist Convention. Carrico will begin his duties on Feb. Carrico will be leaving the post of the senior pastor of the First Baptist Church, Beckley. He has served in that position for 15 years. Before that, he was senior pastor of the Clarksburg Baptist Fifth Avenue Baptist Church inHuntington.
Carrico and his wife, Jane have five children and three grandchildren. Together, they were awarded the S. Ward and Evangel Robinson Ministerial Broaddus College.

## Gregg new senior VP

 for RMS StrategiesAly Goodwin Gregg has joined RMS Strategies as senior vice pres ident, Communications Group after selling her Morgantown firm tions consulting business.

Gregg has a diverse communications background including her current work as the national publicist for former prisoner of war Jessica Lynch and as the national media facilitator for the
homecoming event for former Iraqi prisoner Tommy Hamill. In addition, she has held various management positions within the economic development
and hospitality and tourism industries, including the Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing, The Greenbrier and oversight and and marketing account for the

West Virginia Division of
Tourism.
Gregg is headquartered in RMS's newly-opened Morgantown

Weist honored for work with Fairmon workfonc A Fairmont WORKFORC A Fairmont State Community
\& Technical College employee ha $\&$ Technical College employee h ginia Service Providers Associa Partner of the Year. Jennifer Weist, a program manager for FSC \& TC since 2000, does on behalf of Fairmont State
with the Fairmont WORKFORCE West Virginia Center. Weist chairs the Management Team Consortium, serves on several committees for the Region VI is a liaison between FSC\&TC and is a liaison between FSC\&TC and ters in Morgantown, Clarksburg and Elkins.
She holds a bachelor's degree
from Alderson-Broaddus Colle from Alderson-Broaddus College, working on a master's degree from Mountain State University. The award is presented by the Board.
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American culture squeezes single moms into corner
"So what about single parents, John? asks a single mom respondnroposed that it is in a child's best interest for his parents' relationship with one another to be stronger than their relationships with him. mom like me" apo to asingle I anticipated the question - and, in fact, am qualified to answer it
(as you will see)-and had already prepared the response that follows. As regular readers of this col-
umn know, my mother was a single umn know, my mother was a single years of my life. During that time, she was a very interesting person in my eyes - one of the most interesting people I've ever known. She worked (at that time, the College of Charleston) and eventually obtained Ph.D. in plant morphology. Aften took the time to explain to me things like the differences between animals with and animals without backbones. Sometimes she ook me with her to the library, still grown-ups could be.
Because she was interesting, I paid attention to her. She did not orbit round me, rather, I orbited around her, and she made sure that my orbit independence, she encouraged mine. More than once she told me it was her job to make sure I could stand on my she not let me stand on hers. She was affectionate, loving f always knew I could rely on her, but t was perfectly clear that she had a rich life beyond being John Rose mond's mother. ver gave me the impression that having no father in my life was an excuse for misbehavior, not doing my pity, "anger," etc. I was responsible, fully accountable. When I misbehaved, and tried to explain it away, my mother would look at me sterny and say, "There are no excuses." longer gives single mothers permission to be that kind of mom. Today's single mom is expected to feel guilty, compensate for the supposed psycompensate for the supposed psy-
chological trauma her divorce has imposed upon her children by orbiting around them, making them her life, which insures that she will not have
one of her own. She thinks she can only one of her own. She thinks she can only
validate that she is a good mom by doing things for her children; thereore, she rarely does anything for herself. She does not feel she has permission to discipline because, after all,
(she thinks) her kids only misbehave because they are "angry" about the divorce, at the same time they (supposedly) feel responsible for it. which our culture squeezes the single mom (its walls are constructed of psychobabble), single-mom-hood in America is not what it was for my mother. Instead of a state of relais confining, exhausting and guiltridden for all too many single moms. A single mom recently tola me hat because she had always wanted enrolling her 4 -year-old daughter in art lessons. I suggested that she forgo doing something else for her daughter and enroll herself in art lessons, and hen perhaps turn around and teach me quizzically for a few moments, then smiled and said, "I get it." I hope she's enjoying her art
lessons.

OHN ROSEMOND is a family psychologist.
Questions: www.rosemond.com/.

Chestnut Ridge Community Church teens give family


Story by Katie Long * The Dominion Post * Photos by Bob Gay

0ne fortunate Morgan town family will be getting a great gift
this Christmas - a newer, safer home al area teenagers. Putting their own spin on the popular TV show "Extreme
Makeover: Home Edition" Makeover. Home Edition," on which a family in need is treate
to some major home improvements, youth members of Chest nut Ridge Community Church are moving a single mom and her four teenage children (two girl
in high school, two boys in middle school) into a newly remodeled, redecorated rental home. Just in time for the holidays.
The project is being funded The project is being funded foundation set up by Jeff Hostetler - former star player
for Penn State, WVU, the New for Penn State, WVU, the New York Giants, the Oakland Raider
and the Washington Redskins about 15 years ago to offer aid to needy families in the community Andrea Salamanca, youth leader, said the group collabora
ed with Bartlett House to find ed with Bartlet
suitable family
The family, who wished not to
be identified, has been living in be identified, has been living in a five-room apartment that has fall en into disrepair, Salamanca was to fix up the apartment, safe ty issues made it necessary to move the family to a new location altogether.
Calls we
Calls were made, feelers put said, a rental house was located on Charles Avenue. Once that was done, it wa
time for some elbow arease time for some elbow grease. with Salamanca, youth pastor Mark Byrer and Hostetler, gath ered at the Charles Avenue home recently to strip wallpaper, paint,
pull up carpeting spackle holes pull up carpeting, spackre hove and replace furniture to ready the house for its new inhabitants. "It feels good to know that I'm spending my thie "oing some
thing worthwhile " said 16 -vea thing worgantown High School student and Chestnut Ridge Youth Group member Amy Jo Ramsey. "To know that someone might have a nic
Jonathan Haring, 15, also an MHS student, and Hostetler's 17 year-old son, Justin, a student a UHS, echoed Ramsey's thoughts that while helping out is nothing new for youth members of Chestnut Ridge Community Church in the past they have bought gifts
for needy families and delivered presents to hospitals and to


Mark Byrer (top, from left), Amy Ramsey and Jonathan Haring roll up dis carded carpeting before hauling it away from the house. Kendall Eby (above
left) and Karey Todd add a fresh coat of paint to the kitchen cabinet doors Jessica Haring (right) paints a wall in the stairway of the house.

Ronald McDonald House - this is Ronald McDonald House - this is have ever undertaken Zak Galeota, a 17 -year-old UHS student, didn't have to hunt for
words to describe how he felt about the project.
"It's just awesome to be able to help somebody out who might be less fortunate and to help them have a brighter holiday," he said,
smiling broadly before heading smiling broadly, before heading The kids had about 10 hours total to revamp the rental - from 3-8 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday.
In that time they hoped to no only improve the basic look of the
interior with fresh paint and new carpeting, but also to decorate the house for the holidays. "I'm just so proud that so many of these kids showed up, busy teenagers all around her. You know, they're in school all day, a lot of them have jobs in the evening, but they're using what
free time they have to come here free time they have to come here
and help. It just makes me so proud."
Salamanca said that while lion's share of the deserve the ion's share of the credit, the other smaller projects aimed at
he created the Hoss Foundation. "It's to help families through tough times, whether it be because of an illness or a tras
matic injury or if they're just matic injury or if they're just
having a tough go of it," he said.
A member of Chestnut Ridg Community Church himself, Hostetler said the Hoss Founda
tion is a Christian organization Tve been awful blessed," he said. "And I grew up that way lies in need, so I know what an impact it makes, not only for it's life-changing for these kids too. They won't forget the look on someone's face when they
wonder, 'Why did you do this wonder, 'Why did you do this
for me?',' for me?'"
Linda Golden, the family's rep resentative at Bartlett House,
said the family "could not hav received a better Christmas pre
sent." "This is absolutely what they
" "This is absolutely what they
needed," she said. "What the kids over at Chestnut Ridge (Community Church) have done for them - they're just overwhelmed by this. They don't know how to
react." react."
Golden said she was particularly touched when she heard one of the teenage daughters say to
her mother, "Mom, now I can her mother, "Mom, now I can have friends over."
"That statement can give you so much insight into what they were dealing with," Golden said. The family saw the house for the first time at $11 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Tuesday
Golden said. Golden said. "They were in total awe," she
said. "They needed to bring noth ing with them except their beds and their personal clothing. Literally everything had been pro-
vided for them: towels sheets new comforters, chest of drawers, ally had to do nothing buy lay down and go to bed. The girls' rooms were decorat-
ed in animal prints; the boy's in ed in animal prints; the boy's
Harley- Davidson style. The mother's room features a rosepatterned bedspread. There is new leather furniture in the living room. The walls are painted
tasteful, subtle colors and the car tasteful, subtle colors and the car
peting and throw rugs are all new. "It'll be an adjustment for them," Golden said, "they're not used to living in a house like this.
There were flowers on the tables, candles in the rooms.
"It's really amazing what these kids were able to pull off, in just a couple of weeks from the first
phone call. This family didn't phone call. This family didn't into a home."

## Stay healthy and warm in extreme cold

The Monongalia County Office MECCA 9-1-1 would like to remind residents that with the rapidly approaching winter seaon and the extremely cold temperatures that accompany it, Prolonged exposure to the cold can cause frostbite, hypothermia or even death. Persons most sus ceptible to extreme cold
infants and the elderly infants and the elderly
Frostbite is a severe
to cold exposure of the skin that can permanently damage fingers, toes, the nose and ear lobes. Symptoms are loss of feeling and
white or pale appearance to the a white or pale appearance to
skin. If these symptoms are apparent, seek medical help immediately.
If medical help is not immedithe affected areas. If the victim is also showing signs of hypothermia, always warm the b.
before the extremities.
Hypothermia (low body temperathe body temperature drops to less than 95 degrees $F$. Symptoms include slow or slurred speech, inco-
herence, memory loss, disorientation, uncontrollable shivering tion, uncontrollable shivering, apparent exhaustion. If these symptoms are detected, take the person's temperature. If below 95 degrees $F$, medical aid is not available, begin warming the person slowly. Always warm the body core/trunk first. If needed, use your own body heat to warm the victim. Get the person into warm blanket covering the head and neck. Do not give the person alcohol, drugs, coffee, or any hot beverage or food; warm broth is better. Do not first. This drives the cold blood toward the heart and can lead to heart failure.

## Winter deaths

Everyone is potentially at risk
with the actual threat depending upon individual situations. Recen winter death statistics in the Unit ed States indicate the following:
Related to ice and snow: About 70 percent occur in automobiles; 25 percent are people caught out in a storm; and the majorities are males over to exposure to cold: 50 percent are people over 60 years old; over 75 percent are males; and about 20 percent occur in the home
Recommended winter attire Wear loose fitting, lightweight
warm clothing in several layers (the trapped air between the lay ers insulates). Layers can be removed to avoid perspiration ments should be tightly woven, ments should be tightly woven, a hat (half of body heat is lost through the top of the head). Cover the mouth with scarves to
protect lungs from cold air. Mittens, snug at the wrists, are better than gloves. Gloves allow your
fingers to cool much faster than fingers to cool much faster than
mittens do Try to stay dry. Do not stay outside for extended periods.

## Be aware

Cold weather puts a strain on your heart, even without exer-
cise. Be careful when shoveling snow, pushing a car, or perform your age or physical condition, avoid overexertion in the winter Info: office of emergency man
agement at $598-0301$.


Dr. Robert Ference (above) uses a new procedure during a knee surgery er recovery time and the chance to return to normal activities. MalKnee replacement technology speeds recovery

BY PATRICIA ANSTETI

DETROIT-Like so many Americans, Conrad Mallett Sr. delayed having knee surgery. Mallett, 76, a former college pres-
ident and adviser to Detroit Mayor ident and adviser to Detroit Mayo
Coleman Young, is an avid skier who hits the slopes from "sun up to sun down."
Surgeons told him that if he
underwent a knee replacement underwent a knee replacement oper-
ation, he wouldn't be able to ski ation, he wouldn't be able to ski
again. Too risky, once that delicate again. Too risky, once that delicate
knee gets repaired, he was told. He skied in pain throughout 2003 , delaying his decision long enough to become eligible for a new knee
replacement procedure that offers replacement procedure that offers
quicker recovery and a chance to return to skiing.
Orthopedic surgeons are non-
committal about the minimally inva committal about the minimally inva-
sive knee replacement surgery await ing more results. But as word ha spread to patients, the procedure's appeal has grown in the two years since the federal Food and Drug new devices used in the surgery new devices used in the surgery.
Nationwide, about 300,000 Ame icans each year undergo traditiona total knee replacement surgery. It's
performed to rebuild the knee after injury or a type of arthritis, Osteoarthritis bow in or out, and makes walking and exercise painful. Mallett had his first knee replace ment operation in June, and the sec-
ond one Nov. 3 at Sinai-Grace Hos pital in Detroit, where his son, Con rad Mallett Jr., a former Michigan Supreme Court Mallette, is president. The elder Mallett had almost no
postoperative pain and was walking with a cane two weeks after surgery.

## New tools, techniques

 His surgeon, Dr. Robert Ference replacent surery at Sinaive join says 96 percent of his patients are back to normal activities at six weeks and half are back in just two weeks. That compares to the three to simonths other patients typicall require after conventional knee replacement surgery. The timing of the return to activities depends on a person's level of fitness, age and
general health.


Minimally invasive total knee a summary of minimally invasive replacement surgery gets patients
back to normal activities more replacement on the Web site of
the American Academy of Orthope ly because of two critical differences, says Ference. Surgeons do not cut into the quadriceps $m$ uscle tional surgery. And, during surgery doctors lift, but don't flip over the kneecap, as is done in traditional surgery to help the surgical team gain access to the knee.
New tools and comp New tools and computer-guided programs as well as lining up the
knee to the center of the ankle help surgeons perform the procedure without flipping over the kneecap. Also, the incision is smaller, typically
3 to 4 inches rather than 8 to 12 inch3 to 4 inches, rather than 8 to 12 inch-
es, Ference says. "What's important is not hurting the quadriceps." Ference has performed 500 of the procedures in the past two years and is considered a leader in the field. He
trains many physicians in the techtrains many physicians in the tech-
nique, both for Stryker Orthopaedics a manufacturer of a device used in the surgery, as well as at surgery meetings. Earlier this month, Ference American Academy of Orthopedic Surgery meeting in Rosemont, Ill. Ference says he expects that in five years, the minimally invasive approach will Fe the procedure of choice.
roups are cautiou
Waiting for data
costs of thist hav benefits, risks and lished," says Dr Brian Hallst estab
the American Academy of Orthope
dic Surgery (www.orthoinfo.aaos.org) "Unfortunately, we won't know if these new techniques affect the long-term function and durability o the knee replacement for 10 to 15
years," Hallstrom writes. "Long years," Hallstrom writes. "Long
term durability is much more impor tant than whether you were in the hospital for two days or four days after surgery
Minimally Minimally invasive knee replace Peter Bonutti of Effingham, Ill. Las March, in the AAOS journal, he reported high success rates in stud
ies of more than 200 patient ies of more than 200 patients tw
to four years after surgery. Ference is confident enough with his results and team that he "takes all comers." His patients range from
150 to 400 pounds, averaging 262 150 to 400 pounds, averaging 262
pounds, he says. pounds, he says
Patients with
Patients with a prior knee surgery
who need a second operation, known as a revision, might be eligible for the minimally invasive technique if they don't have too much scar tissue
that's developed at the incision site that's developed at the incision site
Many of Ference's patients have had the traditional operation on one knee and seek him out for the new procedure on the other. the traditional way can't believe the traditional way can't believ
the difference," says Lisa Hypna, one the difference," says Lisa Hypna, one
of Ference's two physician assis
tants.
Rehabilitation after traditional Rehabilitation after traditiona
surgery is so arduous that patients
refuse to get their other knee operat-
ed on, she says. With the new proce dure, "most patients book the other knee two weeks after surgery."
Both minimally invasive and traBoth minimally invasive and tra-
ditional knee replacement surgery ditional knee replacement surgery
cost about $\$ 35,000$. Insurance covers the traditional procedure but may not cover the new one.
The biggest problem following
traditional surgery is infection traditional surgery is infection,
which occurs in two of every 100 which occurs in two of every
patients, national studies show. By comparison, Ference says, none of his 500 patients has developed an infection. He also uses regional anes-
thesia in the minimally invasive operthesia in the minimaly invasive oper-
ation, compared to general anesthesia for traditional surgery. He says his patients aren't as groggy afterward, speeding their recovery. Ference's
team tries to lower the risk of infection team tries to lower the risk of infection
by mixing antibiotics into the cement paste he uses to hold the joint in place. The team takes infection control in the operating room so seriously that they wear space-age-like oper-
ating garb, called bubble suits, with large, masked helmets.
Ference advises patients shopping for a surgeon to ask if they cut through the quadriceps muscle.
Some surgeons who call their operations minimally invasive use a smaller incision but cut through the muscle, he says.
Patients from asfar
Patientsfrom as far as Connecticut,
where Mallett lives where Mallett lives, and Colorado are
coming to Detroit for the surgery Ference also has contracted with the Canadian health officials to bring patients live more than 100 miles away from live more than 100 miles away from Southfield hotel with a shuttle to get them back and forth to the hospital. Patients typically are discharged four with traditional surgery Mallett is pleased with his results. Four days after surgery, he was able to lift his leg straight up.
Two weeks later hi Two weeks later, he was walking
with a cane.
Ference says Mallett could flex his knee completely the day after surgery. He has "no question" that Mallett is certain too
Mallett is certain, too.
"There's already a 25 -inch base of snow" in some states, Mallett said a few days before Thanksgiving. skiing."

## Get to know your family health tree

## BY KAREN SHIDELER

Knight Ridder Newspapers lesterol, Parkinson's disease and heart problems. My grandmothers added cancer and dementia. My parents chipped in skin cancer. And knowing all that, I have begun to Istill meed to fill in some blanks so ily members are visiting this holiday, so while fam- Ihope we'll be asking some questions beyond "How were the roads?" and "What did you mean by that?"
the holidays as an occasion to share
fellowship but medical information. Thousands of diseases have a genetic component - they "run in the family." Some of cell anemia, can't be influenced by behavior, but how you live can have an effect on others. If you have a family history of heart disease, for example, you can improve your chances of not getting it by keeping your blood pressure
under control, exercising regularly keeping your weight in check and not smoking. The U.S. Health and Human Services Dep
together a family health tree on its Web site and Put your name at the top of a sheet of paper. Under your name, write your birth
date. Then list any of your major illnesses, birth date. Then list any of your major illnesses, birth defects, allergies, vision or hearing problems,
emotional or behavioral problems, such as depression or alcoholism, and chronic health problems, such as diabetes or asthma.
Do the same for your parents and your grandparents.
Add your children and grandchildrenThen start in on other blood relatives
auses of death, if you know them. Note, too, at what age conditions occurred. he was in hiter's heart problems came when he was in his mid-90s, which isn't worrisome
to me. But if you discover that tit's commor women on your mother's side to die in their early 60 s, it's worth paying attention. Now you know what you still need to find out. Once you've constructed your family medical history, take it with you the next time you
visit your doctor. It will help both of you visit your doctor. It will help both of you
decide what tests you should have, what conditions to watch for and what you can do to ditions to watc
avoid disease.

## O 8 4

Treat yourself to the gift of good health

The Dommen thinking about gifts to purchase for family members and purchase for family members and
loved ones this holiday season, don't forget to give yourself a gift as well.
Does th Does that sound selfish? Nay, say three leading health organiza-
tions, who are encouraging Amer icans to give themselves a gift that is inexpensive, yet is the most important gift of all: the gift
of good health at this time of year. Cancer, diabetes and cardiovascular disease combined account for nearly two out of
every three deaths in the United States each year. It is estimated that cancer, diabetes and heart
disease combined cost America more than $\$ 600$ billion each
The American Cancer Society, American Diabetes Association and American Heart Association
are teaming up together to encourage everyone to remember simple tips that will keep them in are around and make sure the The three organizations ar launching an unprecedented ini-
tiative called "Everyday Choices" to empower Americans to lower to empower Americans to lower
their risk of cancer, heart disease and stroke, which kill over 1.5 million people every year.
Everyday Choices allude Everyday Choices alludes to
small choices that can be made small choices that can be made your health. Everyone can make simple choices this holiday sea-
son that will improve their healt son that will improve their health
in a big way. Some tips include: in a big way. Some tips include
Buying a pedometer and track how far you walk during your holiday shopping. Set a goal to walk 10,000 steps a day.
$\square$ Stock up on fruits and v etables for snacks. Not only will etables for snacks. Not only wil
you save calories, you'll save money by not purchasing pricey pre-made cookies and candy. ning Before you begin your shop ping, walk a few laps around the
mall.

- Crank up the holiday mus and dance with your friends, spouse or kids.

Bundle up and take a walk around your neighborhood while
enjoying the holiday lights and scenery.
$\quad$ Get creative in the kitchen with a new low-fat or low-sugar
cookbook. These cookbooks offer cookbook. These cookbooks offer healthier versions of traditional
holiday fare that taste terrific. - Most importantly, make it a point to stop smoking. For one year, save the money that you
would have spent would have spent on cigarettes.
At the end of the year, buy your self a nice gift or go on a vacation - a reward for going smoke-free. When you give yourself this
gift of good health, it is a gift that lasts for years to come and the benefits extend to your family
and loved ones. They will be and loved ones. They will be glad
you are making smarter, healthi-
er choices.

## Underage drinking becomes a deadly dare

FOR MORE INFO: www.col-
legedrinkingprevention.gov and www.hadenough.org - a bingedrinking site produced by and for coliege student.

## BY MICHAEL GRANBERRY

For Rick Selah, the story of what Jr. hit a little too close to home "Gordie," as his friends called him, was the University of Colorado freshman from Dallas who died of acute alcohol poisoning after a fra-
ternity initiation rite on Sept. 17. The account of what happened to him, as published in The Dallas Morning News, drew dozens of e-mails from all over the country, ranging from mpathy with his family to quessibility.
But in Selah's case, the story res But in Selah's case, the story res-
onated in a deeper way than it did for others. "In many ways, it helps talking voice.
On July 29, Kebra, Selah's $15-$ year-old daughter, committed suicide a blood alcohol level of .10, Kebra punctuated her night of drinking by taking between six and 20 of her pills. She died in her father's arms
before the sun came up. There are many factors in her
death, he says. But he sees peer presdeath, he says. But he sees peer pres-

## Don't let the holidays

 stress out your kids The holidays are a stressful people don't realize they can also people dont realize they Ed Christophersen, a psychologist at Children's Mercy Hospitals and Clinics said, "If the adults are calm, children will be calm. Ifadults are hurried and frustrated, children pick up on that.
Some tips:
$\square$ Consider doing your holiday hopping without your children. dren baking cookies, reading holi day books or making decorations. $\square$ When family or friends gather, parents still have to spend time with and give atten-
tion to their children. Children

FAMILY BRIEFS
to what Bailey faced-as main one
Henry Wechsler, director of col Henry Wechsler, director of col School of Public Health, says such
fatalities are becoming far more prevalent among young people, espe cially on college campuses. He says that 1,400 young people a year are
dying in alcohol-related incidents. dying in alcohol-related incidents.
Janis Dworkis of Dallas wrote in to say that "as a mother in this community, my heart breaks for Bailey's family and friends. But
only the truth will help save some of the rest of our children."
She says the article "omitted the single most important fact of Mr Bailey's sad, sad story. While you
addressed the potential responsi addressed the potential responsi
bility of Gordie's local fraternity 'brothers,' ... you made absolutely no mention at all of Mr. Bailey's responsibility in his own death." She added: "All of this sounds
as if Mr. Bailey were a pedestrian mowed down by a drunken driver But the truth is far different." Other readers raised similar
questions. But Bailey's stepfather questions. But Bailey's stepfather
Michael Lanahan, says it's asking to Michael Lanahan, says it's asking too dle a "forced drinking situation" less than two weeks atter arriving on a campus of 30,000 students, when
they want more than anything to be accepted by a new set of peers. Cathleen Brooks, executive direc tor of the Next Step Institute of Palm Bay, Fla., has for 25 years specialized
in creating alcohol- and drug-prein creating alcohol- and drug.pre-
vention programs for high-risk young
don't appreciate that you haven't seen your relatives or
friends in a long time. The children need you. So, plan to spend
time with them, or don't bring time with them, or don't bring

## Sit and talk awhile

Next time there's an awkward silence at a family gathering-
or just around the dinner table try filling the void with meaning ful conversation. Don't know how? Pick up the newly pub-
lished "Kids' Book of Questio by Gregory Stock (Workman, \$7.95). The book contains more than
250 questions designed to get fam250 questions designed to get fam-
ilies talking, from "What's the bravest thing you ever did?" to "I you had lots of money and could use it any way you wanted, what would you do with it?"

## Tina Lindsay, rev, wac

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people. In her view, "social drink ing" is not the focus of alcohol use in
today's college fraternity culture Rather, she says, it's now an instru Rather, she says, it's now an instru sport." "It is precisely that the drinking is abusive, life-threatening, personali $y$-altering, mind-bending and ill Brooks. What frustrates many is that rel atively little attention has been paid
to the issue until recently they say But it's no longer appropriate, says Selah, to keep blaming the victims. "Peer pressure at any age, but especially in your first year of college-and especially in fraternities - is almost
uncontrollable," says Selah, who was "appalled" to read that Gordie Bailey's CUf fraternity brothers gave him and nine fellow pledges a 10-bottle mixture of whiskey and cheap wine and told "They didn't put a gun to Gordie Bailey's head or pour beer down his throat," says Selah, "but they
might as well have. He did it because hight as well have. He did it because he felt the pressure from his fra know what fraternities are like

Bailey was a freshman pledge in the Chi Psi fraternity, which has been shuttered at the University of Colorado. Donald Beeson, risk man-
agement director for the national Chi Psi fraternity, says the underlying message of the Bailey tragedy is that America needs to hone in on the issue of alcohol poisoning. good job of pushing the whole issue of drinking and driving, but we've failed to look at the ,whole issue of alcoho poisoning, says Beeson
from his office in Chapel Hill, N.C. At the moment, he says, members of the Chi Psi team are touring the
country, "telling the Gordie Bailey country, "telling the Gordie Bailey
story" to the fraternity's story" to the fraternity's 33 chapters.
Beeson says Chi Psi is advocating Belisy of zero tolerance when it comes to underage drinking. "We can't allow then to violate our policicies and create another environment like the one.
says.
In
In an effort to prevent such
tragedies, Lanahan and Leslie,
tragedies, Lanahan and Leslie, his
wife (Gordie's mother), have wife (Gordie's mother), have
launched a foundation and Web site launched a foundation and Web site
whose mission, in its words, "is
threefold: to educate the public about
alcohol poisoning, to identify steps
parents and students can take to parents and students can take to
prevent such tragedies and to erad prevent such tragedies and to erad. Just as members of the Chi Psi fra
arnity at the University of ternity at the University of Col orado "say they didn't force Gordie
to drink but did 'encourage' him, I'm to drink but did 'encourage' him, I'm thing about this problem," says Lanahan. "'m trying to hold out an olive branch to these people by
saying, 'Don't make me do someLanahan says he and his wife
thing I don't want to de."' Lanahan says he and his wife regret not providing a more aggressive understanding "of how to be respon,
sible in a forced drinking situation" sible in a forced drinking situation."
In Selah's case, he wishes the best example had been started by himself example had been started by himself,
in his own house: He regrets ever taking a drink in front of his kids. "I look back on that and realize what an example I was setting for my tising executive. "Coupled with the fact that there's so much peer pressure
about drinking, it's scary. Parents here get so worked up about drugs, but they're so hypocritical about alcohol, which may in fact be worse.'

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## A Christmas greeting from Rabbi Marc Gellman

 switch-a-roo, we offer Marc's Christmas greeting. This is our way of showing you one of thedeepest beliefs behind our love deepest beliefs behind our love of interfaith dialogue is not tasted by merely helping someone of another faith understand our ww. It is in coming to truly, sin stand the way friends and neigh bors of other faiths find their way to the top of the same mountain along a different path

Aabbi Marc Gellman: I've always liked mange scenes. I even like them on public menorah somewhere, I love the idea of Christmas brightening what would otherwise be just the winter shopping season. I also like greeting people I think are mas" and not the anemic, politi-

cally correct greeting of "Happy
When people wish me a Merry Christmas, I take it as a wellmeant mistake, not a deep insult to my Jewish identity. So I wish you, my Christian brothers and
sisters, a very Merry Christmas. wish you a Christmas during which you remember what you must never forget: that you are gathered together not by your
common belief in Santa Claus, but by your common belief that Christmas is the birthday of your Savior and redeemer, Jesu What I take from the extraordi nary life of Jesus is obviously not what you take, but it is still enormous. I take from him the con

## RELIGION TV HIGHLIGHTS

| available on your local cable systems.) <br> TODAY <br> "Davey and Goliath Snowbo |
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## Channing narrates the Tolstoy clas-

 sic. (9:30 a.m., EWTN, 30 min .)TUSDA ■"Holy Land Revealed": Biblical texts about Jesus life accompany modern scenes of the Holy Land. (1
p.m., EWTN. 2 hrs.) W.m., EWESDAY

■"A Home for the Holidays": Jamie Foxx hosts this special that intersperses musical performances with stories from and about adopfor families. With Jamie Lee Curtis, for families. With Jamie Lee Curtis,
,the Black Eyed Peas and Ashlee Simpson. (8 p.m., CBS, 1 hr.)

Are you dreaming of a "Whiter"Christmas?
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idea from the Gospel of Matthew that feeding the hungry is feeding God, clothing the naked is cloth-
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hose who sleep in the dust is bringing hope to God. I take the example of his courage and his charity, his forgiveness and his humility as stirring examples for
every spiritual seeker, even those who do not see Jesus as the Christ.
And even if $I$ do not and cannot see Jesus as the Christ, I still mar
vel and exult in the ioyous message you have brought to the world through this magisterial and glowing holiday of Christmas. I love your Christmas trees, bat them together. I love your caroling, but I love more that you are singing together. Ilove your Christmas meal, but I love more the fact that it is church together. I even love that

Sunday, Dec. 19, 2004
In the year ahead, persons you hey can to help you further your personal interests. There could be hree individuals in particular who will play some key roles in your life. - You will win the respect and appreciation of your friends today because of the warm and friendly manner in which you treat them. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) It might be best at this time not to involve outsiders in your hous hold activities today. Although thingly be a distraction from the
attention your family needs.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) -
Your thinking could get confused today if you get too introspective through over-analysis. If you need to sort things out, try bouncing your ideas off of PISCES (Feb, 20-March 20). Financial condition are 20)Financial conditions are likely
be a mixed bag for you today When shopping you'll find exact ly what you're looking for, but you could go overboard on a few
ARIES (March 21-April 19) - If you have some important things you hope to accomplish today, don't let an idler attach himself
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Although your hunches can usur ally be counted on, this may no be one of those times. GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Make certain that you build your

"White Christmas" was writts "White Christmas," was written by a Jewish guy, Irving Berlin. Some people think that the
more Christian Americans fess thir fistian Americans profess their faith publicly, the more
non-Christians have to fear I non-Christians have to fear. I
strongly disagree I'm comfort able admitting the truth that we live in a country that is overwhelmingly Christian, but I don't fear that the public expression of
Christianity presents a threat to Christianity pr
my freedoms.
I trust that the free exercise clause of the First Amendment will always be balanced by the establishment clause so that both
the free exercise of religion and the free exercise of religion and will both be honored as we celebrate the great American experi ment in religious pluralism. and neither I nor any other rational members of the Jewish or Muslim communities need fea another Inquisition or Crusade. America is history's best examp
of a country where religion can

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 BERNICE BEDE OSOL ASTROGRAPHhopes upon realistic premises today. What you desire can be brought into being and you can accomplish your purposes, but CANCE CANCER (June 21-July 22) Lady Luck is likely to help you as they are not selfishly motivated. as they are not selfishly motivated
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) - Temporarily set aside projects tha really don't have to be done at this time and do something enjoyable with your family friends. The break in routine will VIRGO (Aus 23-Sept. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Something good and not terribly expensive that you hadn't been
counting on may be in the offing for you today.

## LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — This

 is a day when important decisions should not be hastily made. For the types of results you desire, do your homework first anto look at every angle.
SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) For the present, your greatest advantages and potential for advancement will come through the use of new techniques or methods. Put your ingenuity and resourcefulness to work for you

Driving in harsh winter conditions takes practice. Get some tips from a trained professional.

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be honored in public and in pri-
vate without fear of some divine vate without fear of some divine
right of kings overwelming our right to find God, or reject God, each in our own way. So on this Christmas Day, I cel ebrate what Christianity has brought to our country and to ou
world. This Christmas, I'll help Tommy decorate his tree. Although I cannot celebrate the birth of the Messiah that is the reason for the tree, I can get close
enough to see the lights, feel the joy, hear the music and know that he celebration points to another place, a better, more joyous place
where one day everything will be light and the songs we sing will rise to praise God in sweet har
mony.
Merry Christmas!


President and位 of choosing the cards. Cards the couple sent out following Sept charge included a verse from Psalms. couple sent out following Sept. 11 also

Bush holiday card contains scripture
by Jeffrey weiss
$\qquad$ About 2 million friends and supthing in their mailboxes this month that no other president has offered. This card with a Bible verse. This card has a line from
Psalms, 95:2:"Let us come before Psalms, g5::2: "Let us come before him with music and song.' Presidents have been sending season's greetings since Calvin on White House stationery in 1927 And many presidents issued procla mations about faith-related event Prayer to Ramadan But this administration is the first to include Scripture in the annual card, said Mary Evan
ings From the White House: The Collection of Presidential Christ, mas Cards, Messages and Gifts.'
Seeley and her husband have complete collection of the presi dential holiday cards. First Lady Laura Bush super vises the card selection. She picked
cards with Bible verses when he cards with Bible verses when her continued to do so in the White House. Her first presidential card, in
2001 after 2001 after the Sept. 11 attacks "Thy face that I shall see the soel I believe the Lord in the land of the liv ing!" This year's illustration is a painting of the Red Room of the White House by Fort Worth, Texas artist Cindi Holt.


## Life\&Leisure

KATIE LONG

Turn on your clothes and go for a walk

When it comes to clothing, I have always been a firm believer in fashion over function.
After all, four-inch heels After all, four-inch heels
aren't exactly functional for anything except maybe the development of ankle equinus and hammertoe. But it seems that lately there is a trend toward outfits that
multi-task. Clothes that not only serve to keep you covered,
but also to provide you with but also to provide you with music, data and lighting As one who still doesn't know how to program her VCR, nevermind use 98 percent of the
features on her cell phone the features on her cell phone, the
idea of trying to figure out how to change the channel on my collar seems downright scary. I have a hard enough time just getting my Diane von Fursten berg wrap dresses wrapped
right. That aside, here are just a
few examples of these hi-tech hybrids. GapKids is offering some-
thing called a Wild Planet Hood io, a hooded fleece that comes with an FM radio and headphones built into the hood. The water-resistant power pack is napped into a chest pocket, the trols are located in the sleeve. Available in kids' sizes XS-XXL, the Hoodio retails for $\$ 68$. The
three AAA batteries it requires hree AAA batteries it require And just to co Gap reminds kids to always stop, look and listen for traffic before crossing the street. In

I guess this seems like a good
SEE CLOTHES, 6-E


ERIC EDWARDS

SINGLE GUY
Sparkle in her eye has an ominous ring Most years, when I think of Christmas, I think of mangers, the occasional reindeer and maybe a sleigh ride. This year, my attention has
been diverted from the regular been diverted from the regular
holiday spectacles by an infusion of diamond advertising that has left me, and many othe men, feeling incredibly inadequate.
Diamond ads have always been a part of the holiday, and the unusual influx of them this season probably means mar keters think the economy is
doing well enough for folks to start spending their hardearned money on sparkling trinkets.
As a yo As a youngish, still-single
male I at influencing me to buy a ring, to get engaged and to make a sweet woman really happy. But this year, it seems the diamond marketers don't care about sell-
ing engagements. I guess they figure they have the market cornered. Why should they remind guys they need diamonds to get married when girlfriends far
and wide are already doing that for them?
This monopoly on engage-ment-wear has freed up the jew-
elry industry to focus on new markets. Last year jewelers were focusing on single, professional women who weren't on the marriage track. The "right hand ring" is the diamond stones on the fingers of those unmarried women who have a

SEE RING, 6E:
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## Sxumpaty FOR Whirm? <br> TIRES: <br> by katie Long <br> Christine Croucher, aka The Tire Lady, owner of Rainbow Tire in Masontown, said prob-

With the official start of winter only two days away, one seasonal truth is clear. It's only going to get colder. Now is the time to ask yourself, before hitting the road on your holiday travels: Can your car handle the coming wintry weather?
Here's a guide to finding out if your wheels are adequately winterized.


## UNDER THE HOOD

It is a good idea to take it car in to be checked, said Herb Dodrill, consumer parts pro at Advance Auto in
Sabraton. Some parts stores offer this senvice for free Sabraton. Some parts stores offer this senvice for free,
including Advance Auto. It is also a good idea to have your alternator checked.

* Check for corrosion on battery terminals, loose terminals, frayed insulation Corrosion is the gunky stuff that can build up around terminals, Dodrill said Insulation needs to be replaced if frayed, cracked o pulled apart. There are products one can buy to
remove corrosion on a car battery and similar prodremove corrosion on a car battery and similar prod ucts that
cleaned.
* Check altermator belts. Ideally, an altemator belt should have a smooth, black surface. If the belt is shiny,
cracked, torn or showing other signs of wear, it should cracked, torn or showing other signs of wear, it should
be replaced, Dodrill said. If your car is three years old be replaced, Dodrill said. If your car is three years
or older it is generally a good idea to replace it.

Fluids:

* Check all cooling system hoses. Look for signs of wear: cracks, tears. An old hose
very soft and easily bent, Dodrill said. A new hose will be firm and strong.
* Check all fluid levels (antifreeze, wiper fluid). This can be done visually, as reservoir
 are generally clear. If fluids are low, refill them. Antifreeze capability - the lowest temperature at which it will work e tested using a specific gravity device, available for a couple of dollars at tore. The device contains several colored balls; the number is effective. Dodrill said it ir indicates the temperature to which your antifreeze he engine is cool * Again, if your car is three years old or older it is a good idea to have all fluds flushed; all reservoirs cleaned and refilled with new fluids. It is possible Lube or Grease Monkey
Fuel and air delivery systems:
光 Check your air filter by looking in
between each of the pleats for grime dirt and dust. If it is dirty, replace the filter. You can also shines through, it's time for a new filter, Dodrill said, adding that people who live on dirt roads or dusty roads or in dusty areas will have to change their cars' air filters more often It is generally a good idea to change the air filter every 10,000-12,000 miles or so. * Have your fuel filter checked. This is not something you
can do by simply looking - you will need to visit can do by simply looking - you will need to visit
mechanic for this one. You should probably do this at least every 10,000-12,000 miles also

* During the winter, there is more chance of condensation
in the fuel tank. Dodrill recommends always keeping your
tank full or almost-full during the winter months to help prevent condensation and freezing. * For optimal upkeep, use a fuel injection fluid every third tank of gas or so. This fluid is poured
right into the gas tank.

Windshield wipers:

* "Winter" wiper blades are available. They usually have sturdier, longer blades. A lot of newer cars don't need special winter blades. The key is to find a good name brand blade with a good cleaning edge, Dodrill said. *heck to make sure the plastic on your wipers is in good shape - that it isn't cracked and and avoid turning wipers on to remove tough ice - this can damage blades and make them less effective

HWer Min
ably the most important thing to remember in winter is to check the air pressure in your tires. "As the temperature drops, it's more important than ever to test the air pressure in your tires because for every 10 degrees you lose in temperature, you lose one pound of air pressure." What that boils down to, she said, is a possible loss of up to five pounds of air pressure from summer to winter. And low tires mean compromised safety and performance on the road, she added.
Another thing to check for: make sure you have the valve cap on your valve stems to avoid getting ice in the valve steam, which can cause a leak.
And while all-season tires are fine for some people - those who live in town or in areas where snowfall is low - winter tread tires are a safety must for those in highhave the "severe service emblem" - a mountain and a snowflake - on the tire. Traction is the name of the game when it comes to tires - especially when you're thaking about slick, wintry roads.
'Those four 'footprints' are the only connection between you and the highway,

## Winter driving tip: Don't PANIC!

WINTER DRIVING classes are available from The Tire Lady at Rainbow Tire in Mason-
town by request. Christine Croucher, owner (and The Tire Lady), will also come to your organization, office or business and teach a group class. Info and rates: 864-3999.

## by katie Long

The ok, so your car is fully winterized. But what about your driving? Christine Croucher, better known as The Tire Lady, and owner of Raininow Tire in Masontown, said there are several key elements to learning to drive in wintry weather.
Trained at a winter driving school in Steamboat Springs, Colo., Croucher offers winter driving classes by request. The biggest mistake she notices, she said, is peo-
ple panicking behind the wheel. "Having the knowledge of ho

## ical," she said.

Preparedness is of the utmost importance Get an early enough you have time to warm your car, she said. Warming up your vehicle will increase mirrors or rear wiasty ice or snow blocking your windshield, side windows,
"It's important that others see you," Croucher said. "That way you can get the snow off your headlights, taillights, and make yourself easier to be seen by other motorists." Being comfortable that you have the correct emergency equipment will also make
one feel more confident driving in harsh conditions. And always wear your safety belt. one feel more confident driving in harsh conditions. And always wear your safety belt.
Also, it never hurts to practice braking - while in a safe situation, of course. "There are a lot of things people probably don't know, like that roads are at their slick-

## IN THE TRUNK:

Emergency supplies:
a matter how well-maintained you car is, things can and do go wrong, Dodrill said. So it's advisable to keep a few emergen
Dedrill sur something unfortunate happens.
warrm shoges and a pair sloves; a flashlight for light to hen; a blanket; sensible, warm shoes and a pair gloves; a flashlight for light to help you pinpoint the problem; jumper cables, nonperishable food items (you never kno


## RING

few grand sitting around and feel few grand sitting around and fe the attention they deserve. The newest wrinkle in the superfluous diamond category what some may call an upkeep ing. These expensive pieces a devotion to his wife - because his continuing to live with her simply isn't getting the messag
In my least favorite commer cial of the year, an attractive middle-aged couple cavort in a European piazza, and the man
tells his wife that he'd marry her all over again. When she ooks up, as if to say "What a dork," she spots her parents in the crowd and turns to find he husband on bended knee. As
Romeo re-proposes, the folks in the crowded plaza applaud the transaction, and televisionvewing women everywhere look at their hubbies and think and my parents to Rome to marry me again?
heir eyes as they over, men roll their eyes as they remind their is enough. Then they curse Kay jewelers for trying to establish another imaginary standard that men must meet to prove their
Although women may look at that ad and get weepy with sen timent, I see a more troubled sit uation in which the husband is likely caught with his pants Aspen hotel concierge. I don't think that's a re-engagement ring; I think that's a very expen ive apology. Thererore, the message I get is that when behave or you can count on ta ing your wife and her parents to a more romantic continent so ing in a very public place st thinking about it should e enough to completely eradicate Don't get me showing the woman of my reams my devotion with a beautiful diamond she can I like the implication that to be ie involves di mond-bu
ERIC EDWARDS, who is waiting for the adin which the adoring woman proves her
ove by bestowing a $\$ 5$, oood Tag Heuer on tinel. Send e-mail to eedwardsorlandosen

## CLOTHES

enough idea (the Hoodio, not looking before crossing the street - that goes without saying). To be honest, I'm actually somewhat tempted to try it (could come
handy for dog-walking). Being hanay for dog-walking). Being find one that fit - I just wish it came with AM. I may be short, but I'm still old. The only FM I lis
ten to is NPR. Levi's is also getting into th electric-gear game, marketing a "musical jacket" in Europe complete with fabric keyboard. I would love to be able to explain to shall we say, techno-challenged, 1 can't. So if you're curious (and clever), check it out for yourself
at http://computer howstuffat http://computer.howstuff ing2.htm. While researching this electro-
trend, it came as little surprise to trend, it came as little surprise to me that one of the biggest markets
for this stuff is in the extreme sports arena. I found ski jackets that light up, Gore-Tex jackets equipped with two-way radios,
Oakley sunglasses with built-in earphones capable of storing 4 hours of digital tunes and a ski/snowboard helmet with speak ers and a mic to which you can connect either an iPod or your cell
phone (see, Itold you people take phone (sel, their cell phones everywhere). Maybe one of the kookiest things I found is a jacket by Nyx, an L.A.-based clothing company,
that features a built-in flexible display screen that connects to a Palm OS PDA or a smartphone (like the Treo or Kyocera) and can display an illuminated mes-
sage across the back. You can pro gram the message to blink or to scroll across, and Nyx even offers a gizmo that makes the message synch up with music as it flashes Currently, the jackets are only
being marketed to Nyx clients at about 900 bucks a pop. But the price is expected to drop to about $\$ 250$ once mass-manufacturing begins, supposedly early next Obviously, the temptation to
display something funny and mildly profane is there - but if I was actually able to figure out
how to do that, I'd be much more apt to want to share that news. In big, pulsing red letters. Scrolling across my back:
"Oh my God, I programmed
And at
And at about the same price as
a DVF dress, at least this thing would be easier to get on.
KATIE LONG is
KAME LONG is a
Dominion Post. E-m
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## 'Malcolm' mom delivers with dispatch


#### Abstract

with great dispatch because I want to get going ... so I think than anything. She's been nominated for an Emmy five seasons in Emmy five seasons in a row and walking the red carpet gave her the idea for clothesoffourback.org, which raises money for charity by auctioning the clothes stars wear at award shows. ward shows. tes of fame and I know the amount of money you can raise and the amount of awareness you can bring to certain things you care about," she says. "I want to die knowing that I really did as much as I could with the time I had.' 

Actress Jane Kaczmarek stars as Lois in "Malcolm In The Middle, The "Hal's Christmas Gift" episode that airs today Bryan Cranston, who plays her easy-going husband, Hal, jokingly notes that it's true his co-star is "very obsessed by time." He als He also kids about how her affected her work $\qquad$ When during rehearsa discuss why a character should do this or that, Jane is always (suggesting) 'I think she's lying During rehearsal on this day, Kaczmarek didn't get to lie down, but she was seated on the ed with Cranston as Lois and al discuss how little time they The result of this chat is that Hal turns their garage into a facsimile of a tropical happy-hour pot. Here, the couple plan to spend time each evening togethers are assigned the household Inevitably the show has ed from its first season he main buzz was around rankie Muniz as Malcolm, the


The oldest son, Francis (Christopher Kennedy Master
son) only appears occasionally now, and the clearly teenage Mal colm and his brothers Reese (Justin Berfield) and Dewey joined by a fifth boy, Jamie, born at the end of the fourth season and now occasionally glimpsed as a toddler.
Kaczmarek admits it has taken awhile to feel comfortable with story lines about a teenage
Malcolm because "'naughty children' is funny, 'naughty teenagers' is a little more menac

Born in Milwaukee, Kaczmarek grew up in the Midwes where "a climate of celebrity didn't exist" and she was expect
r or a nun. each blossom in a school pagea leaving the stage in the wrong direction and convincing the other peach blossoms to follow her. ime I remember having a cer tain power or authority to con vince people of something, even hough it was wrong," she says, laughing.
She went on to graduate from the University of Wisconsin and cole came in the 1984 movie "Falling in Love," as wife to Robert De Niro, who leaves her or Streep.
nly actor I havyl Streep was the otally tongue-tied in met I was says Kaczmarek.
She has treasured memories of the kindness and encouragement of the two-time Academy ward winner, who went "to bat for me" to help ensure the suporting role of the wie didn't get "I shrift
"I remember thinking, wow, cious and encouraging to other people I must remember how Meryl behaved.

## COUNTRY FOLKS

Anderson excited about return to Grammys
Lynn Anderson pronounced her
self "amazed and absolutely thrilled" to receive a Grammy nomination for her album The Bluegrass Sessions. "It's been 30 years since my last
nomination," Anderson said, "and 34 since my last Grammy win, so I'm calling this ‘old Chicks, New Tricks." Anderson, known for her Grammy award-winning hit "Rose
Garden," said her foray into blueGarden," said her foray into blue-
grass was meant to pay respect to the genre and to "add a new twist to this great American music form." The Bluegrass Sessions is up for


Best Bluegrass Album. DM Records

## Gretchen Wilson joined

by women of Heart Heart's Ann and Nancy Wilson
joined rising country star joined rising country star
Gretchen Wilson (no relation) Gretchen Wilson (no relation)
onstage Dec. 15 at the House of Blues in Las Vegas. Gretchen Wilson teamed with Ann on the Heart classics "Barracuda" and "Straight On," while Nancy played
lead guitar. "This was beyond a dream come true for me," the coun try singer said. "I sang Heart songs in cover bands, but I never thought in cover bands, but I never thought
I'd actually be on stage with them."

Bracco looks for 'Law and Order'
LOS ANGELES (AP)-Lorraine
Bracco will be the next star of "The Bracco will be the next star of "The
Sopranos" to moonlight on a "Law \& Order" drama.
Bracco, who plays mobster Tony Bracco, who plays mobster Tony
Soprano's psychiatrist on the HBO show, has been cast as an ambitious lawyer on the upcoming "Law \& Order: Trial by Jury" on NBC, a eries spokeswoman said Tuesday.

## TIPS

est at 32 degrees, because it's just cold enough to be freezing but there's still that water there, making a layer of
ice," she said. "Also weteach ice," she said. "Also, we teach people because if you're crossing your arms and that airbag deploys, it could break your arms.

Soprano relative, is appearing in the final four episodes of "Law \& Order" this season, while Robert Mler, who plays
Tony Sopranos son, was on "Law \& Tony Soprano's son, was on "Law \&
Order: Special Victims Unit" lastyear Order: Special Victims Unit" last year
Edie Falco played a defense lawyer on "Law \& Order" before starring in "The Sopranos," "Law \& Order "Trial by Jury," the fourth in the "Law \& Order" franchise, stars Beb
Neuwirth and Jerry Orbach.

## three ways to lose traction: to spin

 three ways to lose traction: to spin eration), to lock the wheels up (braking too hard) or to have too much speed (especially in a turn).After explaining this, Croucher After explaining this, Croucher
revealed the No. 1, absolute rule for safe winter driving. Adjust speed to current condiemphasis. "This is definitely the




Willard and Betty McMillen celsary Saturday. They were married Dec. 18,
Union Church in National. They have four children: James,
Pat, Mike, and Chris; and three Pat, Mike, and Chris; and three
grandchildren, Kaylene, Brianne, and AJ.
and Kaylene, Brianne
and

## BIRTHS <br>  <br> CHORPENING, Amy and Ben of Morgantown, announce the birth of a daughter, Leona Olivia born at 7 :22 p.m. Nov. 16, 2004, at Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown. She weighed 6 pounds and was 20 inches long. Leona has a brother, Isaac, 3. Maternal grandparents are Sheila and Herman Helser of Ash- land, Ohio. Paternal grandparents are Linda and Chorpening of Ashland Carl Heins of Ashland. HEISKELL, Justin and J announce the birth of a son, Hawthorne River, born at 11:05 a.m. Dec. 4, 2004, at Maternal and Infant Care Center at WVU Children pounds, 5 ounces and was $191 / 2$ inches long. Hawthorne has a siste Hawthorne has a sister, Hannah Lea, 22 months Maternal grandparents are Bob and Sharon Lynch of Morgantown. Paternal grandparents are Jerri McGrath of Milwaukee, Wis., and Hike and Morgan Heiskell of Charlottesville, Va. Maternal great-grandmother is Edna Lynch of grandmother is Ruth Yeatof Louisville. Ruby Wade of Morgantown. Mabel Van Voorhis of Fort Martin He is retired from the West Vir ginia Division of Highways. They have four children an They have four children and spouses: Bill Van Voorhis of McHen- ry, M.., John Van Voorhis of Morgantown, Ken and Becca Van Voorhis of Clover, S.C., and Gary and Lee-Ellen Van Voorhis of North East, Md. They also have six grand children: Katie, Jesse, Anna, Grace Holly and Sabrina. <br> Ogden <br> Wilfred "Bill" and Jennifer Ogden anniversary today. They were mar anniversary today. They were marUnited Methodist Church, Morgantown, with the Groscup officiating <br> Jennifer is a daughter of the late Jules and Helen Jacobs, formerly of Jules and Helen Jacobs, formerly of Morgantown. She is retired from Morgantown. She is retired from the Clinical and Pharmacologic Research. Bill is a and Josephine Ogden, formerly o Morgantown. He is employed with Mylan Pharmaceuticals Inc. II and Lori Ogden of Morgantown and one daughter, Holli and Skip Heiskell of Morgantown. Bill and Jennifer have three Jules and Payton Ogden. <br> Smith

SWAN, Joe, and Kassy Kelley of Morgantown, Kelan Smith Swan, born at 4:49 p.m. Oct. 15, 2004, at Maternal and Infant Care Center at WVU Children's Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces and was 19 inches long. Kelan has
brother, Wil, 22 months. brother, Wil, 22 months. Denny and Rosemary Smith of Chester, and Frank and Lita Kelley of Durango, Colo. Paternal grandparents are Joe and Lynn Swan of Ne
Cumberland. Maternal Cumberland. Maternal great-grandparents are
Lenora Kelley of New C berland and the late Jack Kelley, Vera Miller of Chester and the late Willard Miler. Paternal great-grandNew Cumberland and the late Walter Sobel, the late Kurt and Helen Sw
New Cumberland.


William and Ann Van Voorhis ding anniversary with a dinne party at Prime Thyme Restaurant. They will continue to celebrate
with a Caribbean cruise in January with a Caribbean cruise in January
2005 , a gift from the family. The were married Nov. 21, 1954
at First Baptist Church, Morgan town, with the Rev. Raymond J Nielsen officiating.
Ann is a daughter of Jesse and


William B. and Norma Smith of ding anniversary with a luncheon hosted by their daughter, Jennifer and son, Jeff, and family They were married Nov. 21, 1954, Fairmont, with the Rev. W. W. Beck ley officiating.
William is
William is a son of the lat
Clarence W and Margaret Clarence W. and Margaret Smith.
Norma is a daughter of the late Joseph and Mildred Jarrett. They are the parents of one
daughter, Jennifer of Westover, and daughter, Jennifer of Westover, and
one son, Jeff and his wife, Tracey, of one son, Jeff and hi
Port St. Lucie, Fla
Bill and Norma have two grand children, Brannon and Jacob Smith of Florida

Lovegrove-Bryant


Ashley Beth Lovegrove and ried at 11:30 a m Saturday were 2004, at Memorial Baptist Church Beckley, with the Rev. Tim Haring officiating.
The bride is a daughter of Dr.
and Mrs. George Edward Dve grove II of Daniels. She is Lov grove II of Daniels. She is a gradSchool and West Virginia Uni versity and is attending WVU
medical school. The bridegroom is a son of M Eagle Rock Va. He is a graduat of James River High School and Bluefield State College and is completing his master's of science in
civil engineering at WVU He has accepted a position as a civil engineer at Thrasher Engineering in Clarksburg.
The bride wore an ivory, strapless organza gown with gold-bead ed embroidery and a lace-up back.
Maid of honor was Sarah Beth Lovegrove, sister of the bride, of Daniels. Bridesmaids were Laura
Sparkman, cousin of the bride, of Fredericksburg, Va.; and Tara Shrewsbury of Beckley. The flower Best man was Eric Hontz of Easton, Md. Groomsmen were Anthony Ford of Roanoke, Va.
and George Lovegrove III, broth and George Lovegrove III, broth-
er of the bride, of Daniels. Richard er of the bride, of Daniels. Richard
Gray and Ryan Gray, both of
Daniels, were ushers. The bell Daniels, were ushers. The be
ringer was Marcus Geise, cousi of the bride, of Allentown, Pa.
Natalie Geise, Audrey Geise cousins of the bride, and Ceara dants. A scripture passage was read by Mrs. Russel Geise, aunt of the bride, and a family blessing was offered by Homer Glo
grandfather of the bride.

rack.
Following a honeymoon cruise to the Caribbean, the couple lives in Morgantown.

Casteel-Johnson


Jennifer Susan Casteel and Bradiey Dean Johnson were mar-
ried at 4 p.m. Oct. 31, 2004, at the
Kingwood VFW. Kingwood VFW, with the Re
Ray Frankhouser officiating. The bride is a daughter of
Harold and Drema Brown of King wood. She is a 1997 graduate of
Preston High School and 2000 grad Preston High School and 2000 grad-
uate of West Virginia Junior Col ege with an associ
nedical assisting.
The bridegroom is a son of Linda Johnson of Kingwood and Dean Johnson of Tunnelton. He
attended Preston High School and is a construction worker in Mor-
Honor attendants were Lori Casteel and Kasie Goff. The ring of the bride.
Best man was Anthony Jones. Groomsmen were Doug Savage and Dean Johnson. Following a wedding trip to
Rich's Fright Farm, the couple ives in Kingwood.

## MILESTONE TIPS

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Dominion Post offices in Morga town and Kingwood, as well as Engagement and wedding Engagement and wedaing ted only by the bridal couple or their parents and an authorized


Mr. and Mrs. Trevor Swan o Morgantown announce the engage to Patrick Joseph Reindel, son of Thomas Reindel of West Lin, Ore.
and Lynea Reindel of Cleveland, and Lynea Reindel of Cleveland,
Ohio. Ohio.
Kelly is a 2000 graduate of University High School and received a
BA in elementary education from Wheeling Jesuit University. She is a substitute teacher and is an edu Chapel in Wheeling. Patrick is a 1997 graduate of St Ignatius High School in Cleveland He is a 2002 Wheeling Jesuit Uni
versity graduate with a degree in the ology and religious studies and minor in business. He teaches reli gion at St. Dominic Academy in
Jersey City, N.J. The wedding is planned for Jan uary at St.
Wheeling.

Woods-Henderson


The engagement of Cathy Woods announced. Cathy is a daughter of Sandy
Foy-Johnson and Ted Woods. She is a graduate of Morgantown High care. Josh is a son of Barbara Hen-
derson and Jerry Henderson. He is a graduate of University High School. He is an electrician appren
tice at Commercial Builders Inc The wedding is planned for June
25, 2005.

## Brock-Conard



The engagement of Sarah Brock announced. Sarah is a daughter of Paul and Janet Brock of Morgantown. She is a 2001 graduate of University
High School. She is a manager at High School. She is a manager at Mall.
Matthew is a son of John and Debbie McClead and Kent and Dot tie Conard of Morgantown. He is a
2002 graduate of University High School. He is a waiter at Ruby and Ketchy's at Cheat Lake
The wedding is plann
The wedding is planned for Aug. 20, 2005, at Suncrest United
Methodist Church.

## E-mail news of your

 baby's birth to lifestyles@dominionpost.com[^0]

## Brides exercising equal right to female versions of the bachelor party

by darryl e. owens

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ORLANDO, Fla. - When Amy
Brouwer asked Holly Rhoda to serve as her maid of honor, Rhoda felt honored and obliged. Honored that Brouw-
er treasured their friendship, obliged er treasured their friendship, obliged
to show her friend a good time when the moment came to fire a parting shot at singlehood. . The moment arrived on a recent
Saturday night. Rhoda gathered the bride and a handful of her closest friends at an Orlando hotel room for the obligatory shindig. When the guests arrived,
across the door.
Bachelorette Party ... Danger: Wild
women.
Bachelor parties have long been the domain of "short-timer" single men. right to get tanked up and tawdry in agirls-night-out version of the male bac chanal.
party where he's callowed have bachelor
ever he wants," says Rhoda, 27 , "why can't the girl?"
That why-not attitude has emerged
over the past 20 years, as bachelorette parties have become increasingly popular. In September, Overture, an advertising company that tracks the popularity of Internet search terms, reported Web surfers searched "bachelorette party" 47,235 times. "BacheMeanwhile, businesses are cashing in. For example, in June, MLT Vaca-
tions a Minnesota-based company, tions, a Minnesota-based company,
rolled out bachelorette parties as an add-on option for its Las Vegas-bound customers. Nightclubs are offering "bachelorette packages." "The Boston Belle," a 57 -passenger charter that
sails Boston Harbor and caters to sails Boston Harbor and caters to ticket for some wanton patriot games.
It's sas though brides have decided It's sas though brides have decided
they need something that generates they need something that generates
cIt used to be way back when they
"In used to have tea parties and that would be their party before the wed-
ding," says Alan I asky, vice presi dent of Bachelorettepartyfun.com, an Internet bachelorette party-planning service. "Men have always been known for drinking and carousing. Now

## Changing attitudes

women entered that strange new world in earnest about 30 years ago, says Beth Montemurro, assistant sociology professor at Penn State Uni-
versity. She thinks the popularity of bachelorette parties comes from the sexual revolution.
"Men had bachelor parties because they were about to be trapped in mar-
riage," Montemurro writes in her
study "Sex Symbols. Party as a Window to Change in Women's sexual Expression. Before
the '70s, she says in the study pub-
lished recently in the journal Sexuality and Culture "women did not have similar parties because it was not believed that they were giving anything up in marriage. As the sexual douas women's rights and freedoms as women's rights and freedoms
became more pronounced, it has
become more socially acceptable for become more socially acceptable for
women to acknowledge that they, too, women to acknowledge that they, too,
are entitled to a ‘last night of free are en
dom."
Mo
Montemurro attended a series of bachelorette parties and interviewed participants. After watch ing whalli
themed novelties, and lick tequila from strangers' chests, she concluded, "bachelorette, That bachelorette parties are so part to the growth of the Internet Popular wedding Web sites such as TheKnot.com offer etiquette tips and themes for bachelorette parties, while
party planners surf the Internet in party planners surf the Internet in
search of advice, ideas, and phallic party favors.
"People don't like to go to the adult stores," says Tom Nardone, presi-
dent and founder of Bachelorette.com "so the Internet's been a natural for us." Indeed, the party favors common another reason to blush. Among the phallic-themed items available are
pinatas, Jell-O shot trays, toothpicks bearing figures illustrating pages of the Kamasutra, and cups and napkins

## Eclectic final flings

Not that bachelor
as eclectic as brides. fling lastistina Payne's final single flanned supper at P.F. Chang's, fol lowed by club-hopping at Universal's City Walk and in downtown Orlando It's just one last time to get togethtown" says Payne last night on the writer. "It's basically to give the bride proper sendoff. It's just really fun.'
Her fian Her fiance, Miguel Valecillos, 31, Las Vegas. Yet, from the condom-cov ered bridal veil Payne sported to the "dare card" game that challenged Payne to try deeds such as beggingfree
drinks fro vowed her party certainly wouldn't pale. The night was designed to "bring it all (the revelry) into public," says
Shannon Hawkey, one of four bridesmaids who masterminded Payne's party, "and try to embarrass her and Others prefer to bottle up the antics in a private setting. Sherice Eubanks, an Orlando-based
consultant with in-home party provider that special in-home party provider that special-
izes in adult-themed products, books about 15 bachelorette parties a year Her events include a a 90-minute
sales pitch of lingerie, body oils, sales pitch of lingerie, body oils, and
erotic toys, preceded by naughty-buterotic toys, preceded dy naughty-but
nice games. After years of watching the man have his cake and watch a stripper jump out of it, Eubanks says,
bachelorettes decided "instead of tea

## John Howard's <br> 

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Determining the cost basis of your home

Last week, we talked about the exclusion form taxes of the gain
from the sale of a principal residence. In order to determine the exact amount of the gain, it's necessary to estabish your cost basis, your property, plus changes to the property that add to or subtract from that amount. If you live in your main residence only a few
years, and make no changes to it beyond maintenance and repairs, the basis remains what you paid for it, except as discussed below. If, like many of us, you live in you home over a longer period, the
cated to determine.
While the fees paid to obtain a mortgage do not add to your basis, certain closing costs will increase it. for a title search and closing, recording fees paid to have your deed entered at the courthouse, transfer taxes, title insurance and
non-refundable fees for installing non-refundable fees for installing Fire and mortgage insurance premiums and money set aside month ly to pay property taxes, however, cannot be added to your basis. Als
if the seller paid points for you when you bought the property, the total amount of the points must be deducted from your basis. Beyond these additions and improvements to your property also add to your basis. The easiest to understand are adding things to your home that previously weren't there. If you added a heata home that had only space heaters when you bought it, all the cost of that improvement adds to your basis. Adding or remodelbath updates, adding a deck, porch or garage, wiring upgrades, paving a previously unpaved dri veway and many other such your home will change your basis. your home will change your basis
On the minus side, if a tree falls on your home and your insurance covers the cost of repairs, the insur ance coverage decreases your basis
by the amount you receive Also and importantly, improvements that are no longer part of your home can no longer be included in the basis. When you bought your home, you installed wall-to-wall carpet
which added to the basis. Then years later, you replaced the by-now worn out carpet and installed new. The cost of the carpet you installed years ago must be subtracted from
your basis, but the cost of the new your basis, but the cost of the new If you live in your home for a long enough period, there are probably many changes you will make. A good rule of thumb is that
the basis is increased only by those improvements that are still part of the property on the day it is sold.
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Shiny-Brites, once popular in the ' 50 s, return to the market Knight Ridder Newspapers
If you grew up in America in
the' 40 s and '50s, Shiny-Brite the' 'OOs and 'S5s. Shiny ABrititica orna-
ments were probably a partof your ments were probably a part of your
childhood. The little glass globes chilere charming, colorfula and com-
pletely
ply were charming, colorrulu and com-
pletely unassuming, all lacquered
with gleaming with gleaming pink, green and blue or encircled by peppy stripes.
These were not the intricate Euro. pean ornaments of yesteryear, with all their handpainted complexity. No, there was a certain purity to the ShinyBrites. They were refreshingly simple, cheerfully bright, often transparent.
They were ornaments that represented the frank and fresh faceed American sensibility of the mid-20th century. And, mass-produced and sold for a
few cents at Woolworth's they were few cents at Woolworth's, they were
a solid, practical decorating choice Shiny-Brites enjoyed their heyday in the ' 50 s , and when they stopped selling as well in the 1960s, it was a sign of the times. They
weren't made at all anymore by the ${ }^{\text {Whas }}$, and it was just as well; by then, in a nation confused by Vietnam, the sweet pink-and-purple glass ornaments seemed almost naive.
Fast-forward to today It's new Fast-orward to today. It's a new holiday designer Christopher Radko has been producing replicas since 2001. We found the new ornaments in stores, as cheerfully colorful as ever Of course, the original ShinyBrites never really went away. You can find vintage glass ornaments in sales and estate sales - and of course, on Christmas trees across the country, handled lovingly by people who have pulled them out every year for half a century or more
Shiny-Brites have come to rep resent the hope and optimism of Americans in the mid-20th century - probably because they were a childhood fixture for lots of baby
boomers. But Shiny-Brites, with all boomers. But Shiny-Brites, with all
their joyful glimmering, were created in the dark days before World War II. Before the war, Americans bought
intricate hand-painted glass orna intricate, hand-painted glass ornaments that were imported from Ger
many and Poland But in the late many and Poland. But in the late
1930s, when it became clear that a world war was imminent, Max Eckardt knew he had a problem.
Eckardt, who imported ornaments Eckardt, who imported ornaments from Europe, knew the war would and besides, Germany was slowing down its ornament production and rededicating its factories to war mate


Shiny-Brite ornaments enjoyed their heyday in the 1950s. The little glass globes were charming, colorful and completely unassuming.
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { rials. So he looked for a way to make } & \text { sold nationwide in Woolworth's } & \text { then the company started making } \\ \text { the ornaments in the United States. } & \text { stores for just a few cents apiece. } & \text { plastic ornaments, and it was all }\end{array}$ the ornaments in the United States He found one: By 1937, he was in manufacturing company in New York, making glass ornaments on machines that were designed to make light bulbs.
In 1939, Eckardt
the boost they needed to mank thot ubiquitous in American homes: The Woolworth five-and-dime chain placed an order for more than 200,000 ornaments. In December 1939, the

Ifthey fust a few cents apiece. and for sure and in Woolworth'sknow they wern aftordable price - you know they were on Christmas trees stered the all-American vibe. The boxes - solid brown cardboard, enhanced in later years with a cello"phane window - featured the words American Made." For several years shaking hands with Uncle Sam. Shiny-Brites were popula
plastic ornaments, and it was all the company had stopped making Shiny-Brites altogether.
But in a marketplace where
boomer nostalgia reigns, ShinyBrites couldn't have stayed away forever. A few years ago, Christopher Radko, a holiday-decor designer whose complex glass ornaments
are handblown in Poland, began selling Shiny-Brite replicas. Radko has an interesting story of


Where to buy Shiny-Brites NEW: Christopher Radko's Shiny-Brite ornaments are sold in boutiques all over the country. See www.christopherradko.com
for a retailer near you for a retailer near you.
ANTIQUE: Antique Shin Brites often pop up on eBay, with prices that range from dirt-cheap to "who has that kind of money? A BETTER BET: Shop for them at antiques stores, where you can see what
you're getting before you buy.

Christmas tree fell over, shatter ing almost every one of the family's 2,000 mouth-blown, European glass
ornaments. Determined to replace ornaments. Determined to replace
them, Radko traveled to Poland where he found a man who could duplicate the ornaments. On his way home, though, bearing orna-
ments for family use, Radko sold ments for family use, Radko sold
them all to friends in New York and discovered that he was onto something. The twentysomething Radko quit his job in a talent-agency mailroom and went to work design
ing ornaments; over the past 19 years, he has made a name for him self in holiday ornaments and decor Radko bought the Shiny-Brite
name in the late 'gos and sarted name in the late '90s and started
selling replicas of the old ShinyBrite glass ornaments in 2001. The lustrous little baubles look just the way they used to, in colors that

soon, you'll be reminded that it's what's inside that counts.

## Top-quality wood doors prevent air leakage, won't warp


#### Abstract

DEAR JIM: I need a new front door. Several neighbors have beautiful wood doors. I want like theirs, but I am afraid it may eventually warp and nee repairs. What do you think? Dear Sandi: If you install a topwon't have to worry about it becoming warped. A warped door is not only unattractive, but the your utility bills year-round It also creates chilly drafts and allows allergens and dust to get Keep in mind though, even the best wood doors require a period maintenance-free as are insulated steel and fiberglass doors. Wood is a natural material, so it may grow and shrink with seasonal changes in humidity and temperature. A good-quality finish on the


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to minimize water leakage problems. You can remove the leaves


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leaves will rapidly decompose into loose soil. The gravel sepa rates the holes in the pipe from
the soil so it should not clog

## Collectors love to search <br> Collectors love to search for different versions of Santa Claus figurines




Q: Sometime during the $1950 \mathrm{~s}, 1$ received a 10-inch doll called "Littlest Angel" for Christmas. tinued for a whole year, because each month a new outfit for the doll arrived in the mail. Each
outfit went along with the month outfit went along with the month So there was a slicker and boots
for April, a swimsuit and towel for July, a school outfit for September, and so on. I still have the doll and her trunk full of clothing. Can what it's worth? A: Check the ba
head. It should be stamped "R \& B," the mark used by the Arranbee Doll
Co. of New York City Arranbee introduced its hard-plastic Littlest Angel dolls about 1954. The dolls 1957. In 1958 the Vogue Doll Co. of
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bee Doll Co. Vogue continued to sell



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## Sappy vs. snappy

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 PHILADELPHIAing Crosby is on the CD
player, dreaming of a
white Christmas, and
Steve Maurer is getting Steve Maurer is getting
into the holiday spirit in his
South Philadelphia townhouse by ndulging in a family tradition putting up the Christmas tree. dant, lop-sided plastic Christmas Decorating is a breeze. It takes about 15 minutes, from stringing on the lights that came with it to
sticking the wire star on top. "It takes me longer to take the tree out of the closet and get it out of the box," Maurer says.
He's
Heen an artificial-tree cionado ever since he bought on as a joke years ago for $\$ 5$ and then promptly fell in love with it. Maurhough. After all, he is the public-位 "I'm part of an organization that is committed to planting and maintaining trees," he says, defending himself. "Cutting one sacrilegious." cheap," says his of saying he's cheap," says his wife, Roxanne
Christensen Maurer is Maurer is hardly unique in playing more faux firs during the The National Christmas Tree sales of real trees last year to 23 million, after three years of steep declines, and it's projecting another ncrease this season. But fake-tree ales are soaring. Last year, sale than 2002, according to the associa tion's tally, to 9.6 million - and that doesn't count the millions of that will be dragged out of attics. "What we're seeing is that more and more people are putting up multiple Christmas trees in the homes. Often that will include live
and artificial trees," says Lowe's spokeswoman Jennifer Smith. Tree farmers are fighting back In September, Oregon growers unveiled "the first designer Christ mas tree" during New York's Fash for its beauty, fragrance and color How perfect is it? Grower Joseph Sharp says somebody walked up to

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Keep it real or go faux? Each side
tree on the left is a real tree. The
es, and said, "That's the most beautiful artificial tree I've ever seen."' also is boosting live trees through a cross-promotion with "The Polar Express" and a contest
offering college scholorhes www.realchristmastrees.org (see You can chalk up some of the faux trees' popularity to the intro
duction of Christmas-in-a-box or duction of Christmas-in-a-box, or
what's officially known as the pre what's officially known as the pre
lit hinged tree. "You pop it out of the box, the limbs drop down, and it's ready, so to speak," says Michael Petrie,
a vice president at J. Franklin a vice president at J. Franklin
Styer Nurseries in Delaware County, Pa., which sells both rea trees and fakes. The biggest faux tree in his store is a 14 -footer that
comes in four sections, comes in four sections, all prelit. remarkably lifelike - unlike the blue, pink and platinum-colored numbers that started showing up in hipster home furnishings stores
a couple of years back and are real a couple of years back and are real
ly big now, riding the retro wave. They flaunt their phoniness, harkening back to the aluminum trees that lit up the ' 50 s and ' 60 s ,
and got a boost this fall with "Sea son's Gleamings: The Art of the Aluminum Christmas Tree" by John Shimon and Julie Lindemann (Melcher Media, \$16.95), a photographic celeb
metallic memories
"When we first started accumulating the (vintage) trees, they wer '00s, and they were allar five

ys it's barking up the right tree. The
ne on the right is an artificial tree. along with Shimon, lives in Maniwere born in the 1950s as an offhoot of the cookware industry Lindemann and Shimon
acquired enough for in art inst tion, which spawned the book. Vin tage aluminum trees are hot thes days, but Lindemann and Shimon's foil forest isn't for sale. Weils saying, 'Oh, you're just goin to cash in on them," "says Lindemann. "But we love our trees. We emember where we got them all."
Amid the fakery let's not forge Aiber-optic trees, whose pulsing lights bring back that disco feeling or trees with their own remotes so that, without getting off the couch, lights, or make them twinkle at dif ferent speeds. (Try that on Uncle Albert after his third eggnog.) "Yes, more consumers are buy ng artificial trees," admits Buck Kehrt, who probably knows as much about the Christmas tree business as anyone around. For 2 years, he's sold real trees all over
the East Coast for Kirk the biggest tree producers in North America. On the side, he runs a small choose-and-cut farm Kear Doylestown, Pa. Kehr shoots down the old arg
ment that artificial trees are kinder to the environment because they're not tossed out tured from They are manufa tured from oil," he says.

Tree-farm trees, on the othe
hand, provide erosion hand, provide erosion control because they are usually planted
on marginal farmland, and they help clean the air. An acre of growing trees gives off enough
oxygen to meet the needs of 18 oxygen to meet the needs of 18
people. "And while it's growing, it pro vides (habitat) for the birds and
wildlife," Kehr says. After the holidays, you can put the trees in the they can be rected as mulch or used to control beach erosion. But, Kehr allows, "in our fast-
paced world, a lot of consumers like the convenience of the artificial." Not Beverlee and Collier Kirk on the day after Thanksgiving, they go to Westlake Tree Farm in Pottstown, Pa., to choose amons "We get Frasers, because the branches have space so the decora-
tions can sit into them," says Bevtions can sit into them," says Bev-
erlee, who went tree-hunting with her father when she was a child. her own daughter, Nikki, is 20 , and she doesn't see an end to
the tradition. "It's the smell, the feel of the tree itself. When you are decorating it, there's a tree Nostalgia and tradition are bis at Christmas, even for those not normally inclined that way "The holidays are a tacky time anyway, so do you go thermonu-
clear tacky to blow everyone else out of the water, or do you go understated and dignified?" asks Tres Fromme, planning and design leader for Longwood Gardens. At
his house there will be a real tree "I'm certainly not a traditional ist, but the whole idea of going out and getting the tree with family
and friends, taking it home and friends, taking it home,
putting it up ... is an essential part putting it up.... .",
of the holidays.
Of course, tradition is where Of course,

## you find it Though

Though they wrote the book on
aluminum trees, Lindemann and Shimon "aren't particularly festive people, so we never really decorated for the holidays," Li demann says. But one image that's etched in memory is that
Shimon's grandmother. Every year, long after the trees had passed from the popular scene, she'd put up one of Mani-
towoc's aluminum beauties in he towoc's aluminu beauties in There it stood, in all its glisten ing glory, surrounded by the spruce trees of the Wisconsin
countryside.

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keting finance and risk reduction.

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$\$ 264,900$.
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Eugene Mihaliuk and Alicia and
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TION, INC. to David H. Yoder, Morgan and Union, YODER, Davi
YODER, David H., to West Park, LLC, Morgan and Union,
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$\$ 95,000$.
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town, \$11,000.
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GRISTOPHER, Judith A., to
Glenmark Holding, LLC
gantown, $\$ 113,000$.

## Warm up a winter evening with a fire, fondue, family

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|  | I love the long evenings of winter. <br> Daylight in cold weather is a |  |
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| through snowy woods. Or splitting logs or something. Nothing |  |
| beats losing the light when |  |
| nds are numb | movie that can be substituted |
| hands are numb. Dusk is a demarcation | for the longer scheduled film if dinner runs late. Old favorites |
| between nature and civilization. | dinner runs late. Old favorites are good for this. Nobody will |
| Nightfall means: Leave the $\quad$ are good for this. Nobody will |  |
|  | The Pink Panther" is in the use. |
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|  | Game nights follow a similar |
|  | are set up, and snacks are placed within reach, on low tables or |
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|  | (around $\$ 16$ and $\$ 30$, <br> tively, at toy stores and |
|  | eb sites such as www.arey- |
|  | d |
| ced Family Fun. You c | Fondue Night is the most preparation-intensive. We put |
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|  | funny and don't stay hot enough.) |
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|  | ingaric-and-rosemary-inused |
|  | for cooking and a plate with five compartments for sauces. |
|  | five compartments for sauces. It doesn't get any better than |
|  | lingering at the table for an |
|  | hour stabbing, dipping and chatting. |
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|  | And in darkest December, if u start the family event early |
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| Audrey Hepburn, Cary Grant and Ingrid Bergman frequently grace the screen. It is crucial to have on hand a second, shorter, |  |
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Amid job woes, more are staying close to home
If you've been worrying about get ting a job, keeping a job or about you're not alone.
"The economic and unemploy-
ment trauma of late" that much of ment trauma of late" that much of
the U.S. work force is experiencing the U.S. work force is experiencing
has precipitated "a new era," said Paul Schneider, partner in Scherer Schneider Paulick Inc., a career-
coaching firm based in Chicago. job is secure - if you're lucky enough to have one - is that "people are not relocating (for
jobs) the way they used to," jobs) the way they used to,"
Schneider said. "Instead, they ar Schneider said. "Instea, they a opting to stay close to their ras."
lies and support networks."
And an increasing number And an increasing number of
people, reports Schneider in his company's newsletter, Perspective "are That introspection means there's also a "trend toward pro-
fessional independence ... workers fessional independence ... workers
today are prone to question more, today are prone to question more,
and to assess both the organization's direction and their individual needs," the career coach said. So while the current labor
market is a tremendous challenge market is a tremendous challenge
and worry for many workers, it also has a positive aspect because concern about work/life balance.

## Child care as it should be

 worry about how to take care of their babies when the regular child-care provider isn't available. A typical solution is to stayhome from work until other arrangements can be made But the New York Life Insurance Co. has a well-thought-out solution to the problem of quality child care and absenteeism It provides on-site backup care
for children ages 3 months to 13 years at its corporate headquarters in New York. And the company, which has 10,700 licensed agents and
8,100 employees, goes the extra mile: ,100 employees, goes the extra mile representative, the caregiver-tochatio in the infant-care room is one-to-one or one-to-two, dependThe closer the children are to their The closer the children are to their
first birthday, the more likely they are to receive individualized care. "However, the younger ${ }^{\text {infants, ages } 3 \text { through } 9 \text { months, }}$ almost always receive one-on-one care, the company reports. only are parents eligible to use the center for their children, grandchildren when regular child-care arrangements fall through.

## MBA women The power

The power graduate degree in and that's why it's always interes ing to track how having that important credential affects the professional and persona Especially in wom it. MBA men. To find out what's going on in the minds of new holders of MBA the Committee of 200, a Chicago-
based group of leading women's based group of leading womens
business owners and corporate executives nationwide, commissioned the Center for Women's Business Research to do a survey.
The study includes 306 women The study includes 306 women
and 501 men, all of whom recently received their MBAs and are employed. Among the findings: Only 15 per-
cent of the women said "they need cent of the women said "they need enough money to support a family
on their own. By contrast, 55.6 per cent of the men see themselves as the sole source of financial support." CAROL KLEIMAN writes for the Chicago
Tribune. She can be reached at
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## Community asset in peril

## Rail-trail system faces funding gap

BY JOHN GEVER

## If you've ever had a gravel driveway, you know that taking care of it is constant work. Ruts need to be smoothed and weeds pulled. Washouts after heavy rains must Washouts aft be repaired. <br> Now imagine that your driv way is 43 miles long, and you can't afford to hire help. Then you might understand why Anita

 desperate.Mayer is
Monongahela servancy, which led the develop ment of the popular rail-trails er's Creek. The city of Morgantown has taken responsibility for the eight miles of rail-trail within the city limits, but it is still up to
MRTC - a volunteer group with MRTC - a volunteer group with staffer - to keep the rest of the 51 -mile system safe and clean. Asked if she would use the
word "crisis" to describe the situr word "crisis" to describe the situ-
ation facing her organization and ation facing her organization and
the trail system, Mayer replied, "Yes. I absolutely would." At issue is the long-term
health of one of the region's to health of one of the region's top
recreational assets. Developers recreational assets. Developers
on Morgantown's waterfront say the rail-trail is a key part of their plans. Moreover, the trail system represents a multi-million dollar
investment that its supporters investment that, its supporters
after. "The rail-trail is an important component (of) the public-private partnership" that is driving the Theatre and marina-restaurant complex adjacent to the Wharf District, said Rich Lane of Platinum Properties. The complex is expected to create dozens of new
jobs. He called the trail a second front door to the complex, and said it was important that its full length be cleared and passable. use it fully," he said.
use it fully," he said.
MRTC has been hugely suc-
cessful in winning governmen cessful in winning government
and foundation grants to build and foundation grants to build
the trail. Just last week, it the trail. Just last week, it
announced three new federal grants totalling more than $\$ 115,000$, which will allow MRTC to complete the Mon River sec-
tion north to the Pennsylvania tion nort
indeed, because of it-MRTC is increasingly ill-equipped to follow up on it. The group has aund ongoing maintenance or even to pay its own staff. Its ex utive director, Ella Belling, described her position as "tenu-
ous," and may leave the post in ous," and may leave the post in
January unless new grants are January unless new grants are
approved.


The rail-trail looking south from the Westover Bridge is in perfect paved condition, according to Anita Mayer, president of MRTC. Funding is need-
ed for rail-trail maintenance in areas outside the city, such as along Deckers Creek where the trail crosses Summers School Road in Dellslow. In mid-December, an MRTC financial report indicated the assets and debts of $\$ 13,500$. Under the grants' terms, most of the cash is earmarked for
specific purposes that don't specific purposes that don't administrative expenses, Belling said.
Until now,
Until now, MRTC has done few pieces of equipment. However, Mayer said, volunteers can't handle most of the heavy work such as clearing ditches and culvarts, needed to prevent washouts. Most of the group's membership dues and its annual Trail Mix festival, which together said. said. ago that it would have to hand of responsibility. In 2001, the group organized a summit meeting of what would happen after the what would happen after the ed. "Our task was to find the unding to build this trail system," Mayer said. "Long-term,
sustained funding would become their issue," meaning local government, and she said they agreed.
"We have held up our end," she added, suggesting it's time for those commitments.
MRTC estimates the annual labor and material costs needed
to maintain the trail system at to maintain the trail system at
about $\$ 2,500$ per mile Mayer said. For the 43 miles outside the city

| The railtrail SyStem |  |
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| SIZE: 51 miles along Decker's | \$107,500 for trails outside |
| Creek and the Monongahela | Morgantown city limits |
| River | MRTC FUNDS AVAILABLE |
| CURRENT MANAGEMENT: | FOR MAINTENANCE: less |
| City of Morgantown within | than \$20,000 |
| city limits; Monongahela | T0 GET INVOLVED: MRTC |
| River Trails Conservancy | monthly meeting (open to the |
| elsewhere | public), 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, |
| PROJECTED 2005 MAINTE- | Star City Town Hall, 370 |
| NANCE BUDGE, EXCLUD- | Broadway Avenue, or visit |
| ING CAPITAL COSTS: | www.montrails.org |

## limits, that me some $\$ 107,500$.

If local governments fail to put up that kind of money this year, Mayer warned, trail users will see the trail visibly deteriorate.
Already, she said "it's overgrow Already, she said "it's overgrow
(with) weeds that need cut." One likely outcome would be that MRTC would put up "use own risk" signs at trail
entrances. Mayer said that many entrances. Mayer said that many
trail users would find the signs discouraging, taking away from the "sense of safety" they now enjoy.
MRTC MRTC leaders have nothing gantown. Morgantown Mayor Ron Justice told the MRTC board at a recent meeting that the city would provide roughly one-third of the money needed
for trail maintenance outside the city. That's in addition to the city's previous commitment to maintain the trail within its bo
ders. "It's more than their fair share," Mayer said. She also
praised Star City, which for five valued at $\$ 500$ a month, and said she expected that Preston County would contribute fairly as
well.
The Monongalia County Commission doesn't get such high marks. Publicly, MRTC leaders say they're encouraged by preliminary discussions they 've had
with commission members. Howwith commission members. How
ever, Mayer made it clear that a formula for long-term trail main tenance should have been in place already.
Commissio
Commission President Bob most rail-trail usage occurs on the paved portion within Morgan town and Star City. "It gets limited usage" outside of those sec-
tions, he said. Nevertheless, he tions, he said. Nevertheless, he
agreed that it has potential as a county asset and that, eventually "I'm sure the county will step up for our share.
Bell said the commission had
met "briefly" with city officials
to discuss a management formula. A likely scenario is that the
city's BOPARC agency would handle the maintenance chores for the whole system, since it already has much of the needed
equipment and personnel. But, equipment and personnel. But,
he said, several issues remained he said, several issues remained
to be settled. One was how to constitute an agency that would manage trail maintenance. Another, more important mat-
ter has to do with legal responsibility. "Neither one of us (the
city or the county) wants the lia bility issues," he said, noting that governments are more
attractive targets for lawsuits attractive targets for lawsuits
than cash-strapped nonprofits like MRTC.
He said those issues could probably be worked out quickly,
but it was unlikely that the coy but it was unlikely that the coun-
ty could come up with its "full" funding portion - roughly $\$ 50,000$ - before 2006. About half that could be available this year,
he said. That would leave the he said. That would leave the
funding pot roughly 40 percent funding pot roughly 40 percen
short of MRTC's estimated requirement.
It's not out of the question
that MRTC that MRTC could make up the
2005 shortfall. Mayer said the 2005 shortfall. Mayer said the
group has grant proposals out now that could produce funds for maintenance. In the longer term,
MRTC will seek major donation MRTC will seek major donations
for an endowment, which would for an endowment, which would
create a permanent income create a permanent income
stream that the group could spend without the restrictions typical of grants.
Right now tho
Right now, though, "We're def-
initely at a fork in the road," Mayer said.

## Employees who come to work sick leave companies feeling ill

## bY barbara rose

 CHICAGO - When a virus infect ed more than 1,200 guests and employees at the Flamingo Las offered a powerful incentive for sick workers to stay home: six days off with pay.The measure was part of the hotel's efforts to quell an outbreak
of norovirus, a highly contagious disof norovirus, a highly contagious disrhea. Health officials praised the hotel's response.
"What they're doing is great,"
said Jennifer Sizemore said Jennifer Sizemore, spokes-
woman for the Clark County Health District in Las Vegas. "That is what
we would like to see more people Yet, except in cases of a public health threat, employers send mixed signals abouts staying home from work
in a society in which many embrace in a society in which many embrac cent of success is showing up." The trend among employers is to eliminate distinctions between sick leave and other types of paid absence,
forcing workers to choose between burrowing under the covers with a cold or toughing it out at work in order to preserve time off for a fam ily emergency or vacation. The start of flu season also coin companies, when businesses are
closing out books at the end of the calendar year and stretching to Emplopis sales goals. Employees feel increasing pressure to produce in a competitive
economy, as many companies are cutting costs and asking workers to do more with less. And it's no secret that employers hold the upper hand in a tight labor market. "You feel a pressure to be there and be seen,", said Roslyn Stone,
chief operating officer of Corporate Wellness Inc. in Mount Kisco, N.Y., which arranges medical services for midsize companies. "It's a ery real pressure."
ity losses from working while sick

- a phenomenon known as "preof absenteeism, especially in cases of chronic ailments, such as headaches, allergies or depression. than we thought", said Dr William Bunn, vice president for health safety, security and productivity
at Navistar Internation at Navistar International Corp.'s International Truck and Engine
Corp. "Our approach is, we try to do he said.
Keeping
Keeping employees healthy during the flu season will be harder
this year because of the flu-vaccine this year because of the flu-vaccine
shortage. Sixty percent of employ-
ers polled by the Virginia-based Society for Human Resource Man-
agement had planned to offer fluo shots, but most inoculation pro grams were canceled because of the shortage.
Shots are considered good pre vention. An employee who gets a flu and has 43 percent fewer sick days according to Journal of the American Medical Association.
"Productivity is going to be affect ed,"'s said Dr. Richard Chaifetz, chairman and chief executive of Chicago-based ComPsych Corp.,
which advises businesses on employwhich advises businesses


## Instant messaging causes a problem for companies

'This is one of those things where you really have to go back to the introduction of PCs themselves'

BY JULIE FORSTER ST. PAUL, Minn. - Instant messaging - real-time - text conversa-
tion that takes place in private online tion that takes place in private online chat areas - is beginning to mount
a challenge to conventional e-mail in the workplace.
Some 11 million people are esti-
mated to be using "IM" at work mated to be using "IM" at work.
But long before this wave of InternetBut long before this wave of Internet-
based communication turns, "Did you get my e-mail?" into a workme the w.ont, many employers are wary. how to deal with instant messaging," said Amanda Lenhart, co-
author of a report on the technology
from the Pew Internet \& American
Life Project. "They wonder, is this a productivity tool or a waste of
time?" Some companies embrace the
technology Others have banned it Many take a "don't ask, don't tell," attitude about employees down-
loading instant messaging software loading instant messaging software
off the Internet and putting it on their desktops.
Research into users of IM sug-
gests reason for concern. The Pew Internet project found one-of-three users it st
gossip.
ciation founcan Management Asso panies this year most of the work-
place IM users said they panies this year most of the work
place IM users said they engage in
personal chats. Among the chat-
room fodder: jokes, insider information about the company or a Use of IM is growing and rivals e-mail for some age groups. Fifty-
three million adult Internet users traded instant messages in 2004, up 29 percent from 2000, when the
Pew Internet \& American Life Project first started tracking its use. This year, it estimated work place
use at 11 million. Among users who are 18 to 27 years of age, 46 percent
use it more than e-mail, the group use it mo
found. you really have to go back to the introduction of PCs themselves," said Lou Latham, principal analyst
at Gartner, a technology research 70s, and early '80s, people were
sneaking them into the office. It was considered a strange and alien
... technology by the powers that …" Companies like Stellar Tech-
nologies in Naples, Fla., are trying to help employers understand the lat est alien. It sells software to busi
nesses that acts as a security guard, recording IM activity and allowing bosses to monitor employee real
time chats. While many are wary, a grow
ing number of employers are embrac ing what they see as big benefits.
Fallon Worldwide, a Minneapolis advertising agency, is rolling out

Lotus instant messaging software to
about 400 employees in seven offices
worlawide. company-supported messaging sys-company-supported messaging syssystem with the firm's e-mail address books. If they want, workers can route their instant messages to their Fallon's director of IT
$\qquad$ employees access to information cheaper than a phone call and more quickly than e-mail. And everyone ing the headaches and security issues of people on all different verSome Fallon employees have been
testing it. "We use it for instanta-
neous communication," McGeheran neous. "It's quick. I'm not sending
samer
someone someone an e-mail waiting for some
one to respond. I send a message one to respond. I send a message.
Ding they get it. Ding they respond. It's instant gratification. Others, though, simply see a grad-
ual annoyance ual annoyance.
Steve McFar
Steve McFarland, president o
technology outsourcing firm Orbit technology outsourcing firm Orbit
Systems in Eagan, Minn., acknowl edges IM is popular among the 32 tech workers in his office. He's not one of
them. "T'll get on the instant messaging system and use it for a period of land said. "Then, I won't get back on
it for months." it for months.

Video-game workers sue for overtime pay


where it shows movies and hosts
concerts. In 2003, the company made concerts. In 2003, the company made
the Fortune magazine's list of "100 Best Companies to Work For," which is based in part on employee surveys.
Nor do video-game workers earn sweatshop wages. For instance, an animator with eight years experience like kirschenbaum typically makes


Developer magazine. And entry
level animators make Ievel animators make $\$ 40,000$ to
$\$ 45,000$. Bonuses can equal up to percent of annual pay,
But Kirschenbaum's complaints But Kirschenbaum's complaints
about crunch time are common in the about crunch time are common in the
industry, according to a recent surindustry, according to a recent sur
vey of video-game workers vey of video-game workers.
Kirschenbaum's portrayal of EA' Kirschenbaum's portrayal of EA'
work culture was corroborated by
several current and former co-workers, who requested their names not
be used so as not to jeopardize their job prospects. "We don't get paid enough for how much life we give up. EA spouses call themselves EA widows, said
one employee. Another disgruntled one employee. Another disgruntled
worker called the company "a
divorce divorce factory."
In November, one "EA widow",
posted an impassioned condemnation posted an impassioned condemnation
of the company's working condiof the company's working condi-
tions that left her partner exhausted. "The extended hours were deliberate and planned; the management knew what they were doing as they
did it," she wrote on the LiveJourdid it," she wrote on the LiveJour-
nal blog site (www.livejournal.com), generating thousands of generally sympathetic responses. Companies like EA have dropead deadlines for finishing games uccause they often have to ship prod the beginning of a sports season. crunch time has become a way of doing business even on large mulperson teams. Even with good planning and big budgets, games
inevitably go off schedule because of unexpected programming busg or
design changes prompted by player feedback. In contrast to other Silicon Valley workers who traditionally receive working around the clock working around the clock, game
developers are expected to put up with the unpaid overtime for their "ove of video games. "The growing pains some of these already been experienced by Dis already been experienced by Dis-
ney and others in the film industry," which now pay for overtime says Daniel Pyne, an employment
attorney at Hopkins \& Carley in San Jose, Calif.
EA studio manager Neil Youns sent an e-mail to employees shortly after Kirschenbaum sued. "This is a very sensitive issue that the entire dig
ital entertainment industry is grappling with," Young wrote. "Fundamentally, it is about redefining who makes creative decisions in the devel opment process. There's no clear
cut, final answer as each new gener cut, final answer as each new gener
ation of technology forces us to re-
examine jobs and responsibilities.,

## Owner of window blind firm

 relies on nonfranchising
## by Jan norman

The Orange County Register (KRT)
Texas?" the e-mail asked.
"Hmm," I thought. "Sure hope
this isn't an adult-only spam." It
wasn't.
Two Twins from Texas was the Two Twins from Texas was the
name that Steve and Greg Dale used for their mobile window-wash-ing/miniblind-cleaning businesses in 1989. They really
born in San Antonio.
born in San Antonio.
Steve Dale is now president of
The Dale Group in Lake Forest,
Calif., while his brother owns a sepCalif., while his brother owns a sep-
arate but related company, Picture arate but related company, Picture
Perfect Window Coverings in Texas Steve Dale, who has come a long Steve Dale, who has come a long
way in 15 years, sent the e-mail because he thought other business owners might benefit from some lessons he learned about business on
the way up. The Dale Group has nearly 700
dealers operating Blind Butler cleaning services or Blind Brokers
Network in-home window-cover Netw sales. Sales by those dealers
ing
will total about $\$ 48$ million this
year.
Dale's first epiphany for running his own company successfulRevisited" by Michael Gerber, which that turn self-employment into true by the Book" by Larry Burkett which emphasizes the wisdom of
running a business by biblical principles.
"I decided to run my business greed," Dale explained. His second epiphany was that he could help more people - and make a profit - by teaching them
how to run businesses instead of running the businesses himself.


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BY MALCOLM GUNN
Wheeliase Communications
One very long look at the C-Class
offerings for 2005 and you realize
Merceedes-Benz has gone to extraor-
dinary lengths to provide its cus-
tomers with as much diversity as the
company can muster.
Since the inception of the C-Class,
which replaced the 190E in 1994, the
line has steadilil grown in range as
well as in popularity. But the major
additions to the C-Class fleet didn't
occur until toon2 when the four-door
sedan was joined by a hatchback
coupe and wagon.
It was the C230 two-door, though,
that caught most Mercedes-enz
enthusiasts off-guard. Its truncat-
ed rear end looked out of place, as did
its king-size liftgate, similar in oper-
ation to most garden-variety
econoboxes. But the real shock was
its almost bargain-basement stick-
er of around $\$ 62,500$, a price lower
than that of any M-B vehicle sold on
this continent in y years. Had the
company product planners gone
mad?
No, they had just become more
marketing savy. Then, as now,
the little hatch, along with the sub-
$\$ 30$-grand C230 sedan, brought peo$\$ 30$-grand C230 sedan, brought peo-
while the C240 sedan and wagon and C320 coupe and sedan come with a five-speed automatic that offers manual-shift control. group has been made at the pergroup has been made at the per-
formance end of the spectrum. Replacing last year's C32 AMG is a new C55 AMG model. The thrust for this super sedan is provided by With its explosive power and mandatory five-speed automatic with steering-wheel-mounted shift con-
trols, M-B says the 55 will reach 60 trols, M-B says the C55 will reach 60 m.p.h. from rest in a mere 4.9 seconds. Although the full-on luxury treat-
ment is reserved for the larger EClass and S-Class models, you still can load up a C-Class with plenty of addons such as a navigation system,
Xenon headlamps Tele Aid satelXenon headlamps, Tele Aid satel-
lite-based help desk, sunroof and lite-based help desk, sunroof and ment packages, to name just a few. However, don't get too carried
away The beauty of the C-Class away. The beauty of the C-Class
cars is in their ability to allow access cars is in their ability to allow access
to the three-pointed-star club without paying hefty dues. It's a concept that continues to
serve the company and its buyers

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## Chrysler future lined with trucks, two-seaters


#### Abstract

CHICAGO (KRT) - Chrysler Group has unveiled sketches of a pair of concepts, the Gladiator and Firepower, that hint at a truck and Firepower, that hint at a truck in the Jeep lineup and a high-per- formance sports car for Chrysler. Both concepts will make the auto-show rounds next year, startgauge consumer interest. Gladiator is a name last used in the 1960 s, when Jeep offered a full in the 1960s, when Jeep offered a fullsize truck with the spare tire mount ed along the bed on the driver's side. Gladiator does that as well Gladiator is what Jeep calls flexible-utility truck, or FUT, derived from the Wrangler Unlim ited, the stretched version of the compact Wrangler. Gladiator is worth Gladiator is worth watching because Jeep plans to add a Wran gler derivative in the ' 08 or ' 09 timeframe as part of its commitment to grow the brand. The four-wheel-drive Gladiator the Cherrolet Avalanche the Chevrolet Avalanche - rea seats fold and the wall that separates the cabin from the bed lowers to open the cabin to allow the bed to carry more cargo bed to carry more cargo. It also features a canvas top that It also features a canvas top that 2.8 -liter turbodiesel engine that will be offered in the Jeep Liberty sport-utility vehicle early next year. Concept two-seater derived is a the Dodge Viper platform. But it's not a Viper successor; rather it is a possible ' 07 version of the Chryster ME Four-Twelve conAuto Show last January. The ME Four-Twelve was the pet project of Dieter Zetsche, president and chief executive of Chrysler Group, and Wolfgang Bernhard, the chief operating officer who now is with Volkswagen. ered by a 6 -liter V-12 with four superchargers to give it zero- to 60 - mph acceleration of less than 3 sec Think rocket speed of 248 mph Firepower, however, comes with 6.1-liter, Hemi V-8, the same engine as in the Chrysler 300C neven higrives next spring. It's of then higher-performance version "We'd all love to do the Four brand equity and help us sell other cars," Zetsche said when introducing the Four-Twelve "But approve a project that we'd losemoney n, and it wouldn't be easy accom plishing a profit on this car. Price and volume would be a challenge."




| AUTO Q\&A |
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Knight Ridder Newspapers
Q. If hybrid vehicles ar known to produce much lower emissions than vehicles powered by gaso line only, wouldn't it be prudent that all car manu facturers make all of thei
vehicles hybrids? Wouldn't it save a lot of money in the long run?
-M.S., Palos Hills, Ill. A. Mybrids malos Hills, Ill. of sense, but converting a fleet from gasoline powe power takes time. It's not a matter of one-size hybrid system fits all
vehicles. A hybrid system vehicles. A hybrid system has to be developed to and types of vehicles in each automaker's fleet Another consideration ing capability with a hybrid engine. But more
important, a hybrid sysem costs more than a conventional gas engine and not everyone is willing - or able - to pay more for a hybrid. Also, you'd never see
an entire fleet of vehicles converted. For example Chevrolet probably could n't sell a hybrid Corvette, Ford a hybrid Mustang or Dodge a hybrid Viper.
Q. I find it helpful in com paring the value of cars price in dollars per
> pound. You and your readers may find it a use contrast the value of vehi cles. Of course, I've had a number of strange looks from salespeople when I tell them this is one of my -B.G., Glen Ellyn, Ill. A. Strange looks? Won der why? Based on your method, a rear-wheeldrive Ford Escape XLS costs $\$ 5.80$ a pound, but when you add four-wheel-
drive it increases to $\$ 6.30$ a pound. If using only the price per pound method of comparing one vehicle to another, you leave ou such important intangisios as engines, transm ment. These items would affect weight and therefore price per pound and would make the lighter vehicle appear to be a be
ter value than the heavier one. Have to admit however, that whether
> $\$ 5.80$ or $\$ 6.30$, per pound sure sounds a lot better than $\$ 19,000$ to $\$ 21,000$ per vehicle. And wouldn't it ers were to announce a $\$ 1$ a pound rebate?
> Q. Why is the price of high? I purchased die for my car at \$2.37 a gallon while my wife purchased gas for her car for $\$ 2.15$ a gallon

-G.G., Bolingbrook
A. We were told that the same oil used to from duce home heating oil an at this time of the year more heating oil is refined. That means les
diesel is refined, so the diesel price goes up.
Q. Has anyone ever give (thought) to altering the length of a pickup truck
bed by being able to bed by being able to
extend it when needed $t$ carry long items? -T.J., Tinley Park, ill A. Yup. It's been donein concept. A pickup with a power-operated bed was
displayed at the Specialty Equipment Market Association show several years ago. Push a button and the Chevrolet S-10 Elongate's bed would extend to haul lumber, push a button and easier to park and garage easier to park and garage
Couple drawbacks, if memory serves: The power system on the con-
cept didn't work very well cept didn't work very well so the bed had to be
moved manually, and moved manually, and there's the cost. Some
trucks today come with midgates. The rear cabin wall lowers to extend hauling capacity from the bed into the cabin. Some
trucks come with flip-over trucks come with flip-over
aluminum bars that rest aluminum bars that rest
on a lowered tailgate to expand cargo-holding
capacity. So it appears
automakers thought oth erwise of power or manuat expandable truck beds. Q. I'm an 82-year-old male who plans on driving agaill. mefore doing so OK from my internist, oncologist, ophthalmolo gist and neurologist and, if even one recommends against it, I will not pu
sue the matter. But sue the matter. But
assuming I get an OK, what do you suggest for local errands?
A. For local errands why not cabs or public transportation rather than invest $\$ 15,000$ to $\$ 20,000$ for
a vehicle that will be seldom used yet has to be insured? As for specific vehicles, for ease of park-
ing if you travel ing if you travel mostly in the city, you might check Chevy Cobalt, Honda Civic r Toyota Corolla.
Q. Your article on the Mini Cooper was great. But didn't you mean to
say that a Jeep Cherokee looks like a Hummer in the rearview mirror looking like a Hummer? A. Nope, a Wrangler looks the size of a Hum-
mer, a Cherokee looks the mer, a Cherokee looks the
size of the Sears (or is it Kmart?) Tower.

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## Land Cruiser stays true to its roots, but comes off dated

BY MATr NAUMAN
Knight Ridder Newspapers
WEED, Calif. - There's an old-
fashioned goodness to Weed, this
once-lumbering, now-slumbering
city of 3,100 residents. It offers
stunning views of California's
Mount Shasta, except on days like
this when it's shrouded by fog.
When you want a cup of coffee
and an apple turnover, oou go to
Ellie's Espresso and Bakery, not
Starbucks.
When you want something
arcane, like a book that tells you
whether a flush beats a straight (it
does) when youre teaching your
kids to play poker at a fish-camp
cottage, you go to Country Drug,
not a Wal---art.
I mention this because there's
an old-fashioned goodnness about
the Toyota Land Cruiser that I
was driving when I visited Weed
and the small California towns of
McCloud and Dunsmuir and Red-
ding and dall the little places near
Mount Shasta and Lake Shasta in
November.
Of course, some of that old-
fashioned stuff drives me insane.
Let's get the bad out of the way
first.
The Land Cruiser is Toyota's
ancient sport utility vehicle. You
still see it in TV news footage of
events in the Middle East and
Africa. It's solid and sure-footed,
square in both shape and sensibil-
ity.
But, compared to vehicles such
as the Highlander, Sequoia and
even the 4Runner, the Land Cruis even the 4Runner, the Land Cruis-
er is getting old.
And I'm not talking about the
50-plus years that Toyota has sold
the Land Cruiser, in something
like 150 countries.
No, rm just referring to the
current generation model - the
fifth to date - that went on sale in
1998.
Ergonomically, it's not good at
all.
Step in, and if you're a 6-footer
like me, you'll bang your head.
Try to enter the too-small back
seat and your foot will get tangled
up in the esmall dooo opening.
Today's suvs and minivans
are full of wonderfully inventive
seats, especially those in the third
row that fold into the floor or fold
flat for loading cargo. Here in the
eight-passenger Land cruiser, it's
old-fashioned all the way. The
third-row seats fold sideways, tak-
ing up a lot of cargo room. For our
trip, we needed the cargo room,
which meant removing them.
They were awkward and heavy,
and putting them back in place
proved an impossible task.
On the safety front, the Land
Cruiser has good brakes with lots
of added technology. II also
includes traction control and a
vehicle estability system as stan-
dard fare. But getting side air
bags and side-curtain air bags is a
$\$ 650$ option - simply ridiculous
on a vehicle with a base price of
$\$ 55,000$.


The 2005 Toyota Land Crusier is a solid, but lackluster, SUV

| The vehicle navigation system, | expensive option. |
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| which we appreciated, includes a | Yet, much like Jeep's dearly |
| back-up camera, which is kind of | departed Cherokee, the Land |
| neat. In total, though, it's part of a | Cruiser remains true to its roots. |
| too-expensive \$3,350 option pack- | We had absolutely no worries as |
| age. For that you do get a DVD | we drove in the snow. Our family |
| player, but it's nearly useless as it | of four had plenty of room, as did |
| only includes a front monitor that | our luggage and gear. |
| lets you watch movies only when | The power from the 5.7-liter V-8 |
| the car in in park. A rear-seat, flip- | was steady, if not spectacular. |
| down DVD system is another | And it does offer a lot of torque - |

320 pound-feet - which is what
off-roaders and those who tow ff-roaders and those who tow want. But these days, 235 horseNissan gets 270 horsenower from he V -6 in the new Pathfinder an you'll quickly see how things
have changed in recent years, And gas mileage -13 miles per
gallon in the city gallon in the city and 17 on the
highway - is predictably bad for
tons. The Land Cruiser occupies a
unique place in the market river ing only the (very similare) Lexus LX470 and the Land Rover Range
Rover. That's a tiny market segRover. That's a tiny market seg-
ment. Toyota dealers sold 5,959 Land Cruisers in the first t11
months of 2004. Lexus reports 8,431 LX470 sales, and Land Rover says it has sold 11,582 Range Yet both Lexus and Land Rover
are luxury brands, for which are luxury brands, for which a
very expensive SUV fits nicely
into the mix Other luxury brand er luxury brands Infiniti, Cadillac and others - sell high-priced sport utilities, too.
But the Land Cruiser is availBut the Land Cruiser is avail-
able through the mainstream Toyota thrand, sharing floor space
with compact cars and pickups with compact cars and pickups
that sell for $\$ 15,000$. It feels out of
place there, and probably wouldplace there, and probably would-
n't even exist other than its role in history. (It was one of the first Toyotas available in the United
States in the 1958, and it was the brand's best seller here from 1961 to 1965 .)
It's a hardy vehicle, and an his-
toric one at that. But this toric one at that. But this 2005 lots of things: a stronger engine,
improved fuel econg interior packaging and a full com plement of standard safety equipplement of standard safety equip-
ment to match its lofty price tag.

A century later, Chicago's Auto Show rides again - with changes

those who attend an auto show will
be in the market for a new vehicle within six months," Murphy said. "The auto show is based on the
same idea as the Art of Driving - seesame idea as the Art of Driving - see-
ing isn't believing, experience is believing. When people get in and
experience the product, the sales rate is high." product, the sales Chrysler experimented with "Jeep
101" at the New York Auto Show earlier this year, a course set up in
a huge tent alongside the regular a huge tent alongside the regular
show where professional driver took visitors on an off-road adventure to experience Jeeps. "The response was overwhelm ing," Murphy said. "We had 300,000 ing." Murphy said. " 3 , had 300,000 ,
visitors and gave 35,000 test drives."




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The GM-DaimlerChrysler system will work on passenger cars
as well as large pickups and sport as well as large pickups and sport-
utility vehicles that tow and haul heavy loads.
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due in fall 2007 Those are V-8due in fall 2007. Those are V-8powered, full-size sport-utility
vehicles that were in line for vybrid technology and whose sales have slowed in the recent run-up in gasoline prices.
DaimlerChrysler said it would


#### Abstract

offer the technology soon after GM on its Dodge Durango SUV


 GM on its Dodge Durango SUV. The German-American company cedes-Benz luxury cars. Both said they would offer the system to other auto manufactur-ers, the same as Toyota does with its technology. Nissan, for example, will buy Toyota components for a hybrid Altima sedan. "We believe it is the most efficient full hybrid design for any
vehicle configuration," GM's Stephens said.
Toyota, however, is a moving target that plans to offer new hybrid systems on more models in
the next few years. It will introduce hybrid versions of its midsize Lexus RX300 and Toyota Highlander SUVs next year that
will stress performance will stress performance over eco omy. "We're not done," Hanson said.
"Once they launch their joint-venture hybrid, then we'll be able to
tell whether they have
leapfrogged our systems."
GM and DaimlerChr.
GM and DaimlerChrysler said
hybrids remain hybrids remain one of several
fuel-saving technologies they pursuing. Both will continue to pursuing. Both will continue to gasoline engines and fuel cells. have to work on all thullet. You have to work on all those tech-
nologies," Stephens said, adding that projections for hybrids range from 5 percent to 15 percent of
global sales by 2020 Currently global sales by 2020. Currently, hybrids are less than 1 percent of
the 60 million vehicles sold globally. ${ }^{\text {l }}$.
Thad Malesh, an analyst with
Automotive Technology Research Automotive Technology Research
Group in Thousand Oaks, Calif., thinks GM and DaimlerChrysler underestimated U.S. demand for hybrids, which he sees growing from 87,000 vehicles this year to 1
million by 2010 , or about 6 percent million by 201
of the market. which ve entered a period in which we have high oil prices on
average that are periodically
interrupted by lower prices," Malesh said. "If one company Toyota) offers a breakthrough 's something the others can't gnore for very long.' GM, he added, kept promising would be the ultimate fuel econo my solution, but, Malesh said, With high fuel prices, consumer heed solutions today. They don't want to wait five years or more."
GM expects to make fuel cell vehicles commercially available by 2010.
With
With Monday's announcement Malesh says the pressure is on
GM and DaimlerChrysler to deli er a significant technology advancement.
"At this point, they really need a breakthrough because the oth
ers out there are going to be ers out there are going to be very challenging for them to com pete," he said.
Honda last week just put its
third hybrid model on sale, the Accord Hybrid sedan. Honda also sells a hybrid Civic sedan and the ing a hybrid Escape SUV in August. David Cole, chairman of the
Center for Automotive Research, said despite the said despite the expected growth
of hybrid sales, cost will remain a stumbling block because hybrids require two power sources, an engine and an electric motor. He estimated the current technology
adds $\$ 4,000$ to $\$ 6,000$ to a vehicle's cost, and manufacturers may not pass all that onto consumers.
Two years ago Cole predicted Two years ago Cole predicted
such alliances would become such aliuances would become
more common because of the high cost of developing components such as engines, transmissions and hybrid drive systems.
That was when GM and Ford Motor co. announced they would Mointly develop an automatic transmission both companies will
start building in 2006 .

## 2-door cars no longer Chrysler's coupes du jour

## BY JIM MATEJA

Chicago Tribune (KRT)
Bidieu to the two-door Sebring coupes. "Two-door coupes have had their day. Two doors and four seats is a formula that doesn't
work anymore," said Trevor Creed, senior vice president of product development for Chrysler Group.
The coupes are produced for
Chrysler by Mitsubishi at its Chrysler by Mitsubishi at its
plant in Normal, Ill., but not for much longer.
"We'll stop offering them after the '06 model year," Creed said in an interview. hings into the getting people or coupe is more of a hassle tha most are willing to suffer anymore. Saturn tried a side access door
with marginal success, but Cree said even with a small side door, "usable rear-seat space" is an issue with coupes.
coupes are on the way out, the
two-door Sebring convertible two-door Sebring
isn't in jeopardy
isn't in jeopardy.
"The Sebring convertible is a different story," Creed said. "Pe ple have acknowledged and accepted the level of impracticali-
ty of a two-door convertible that ty of a two-door convertible that
they haven't in a two-door
coupe."
The convertible is built at Chrysler's Sterling Heights, Mich., plant along with the four-
door Stratus/Sebring. Convertdoor Stratus/Sebring. Convert-
ible production, insiders said, may move to a plant in Mexico with the Chrysler PT Cruiser. The decision that two-door
cars have proved impractical cars have proved impractical
won't affect production of twodoor sports cars.
"We're only talking cars with
two doors and a back seat", Creed two doors and a back seat," Cre
said, so Viper enthusiasts can said, so Viper enthusiast
breathe a sigh of relief.


Auto donation write-offs will get tighter Jan. 1

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2005 for deductions of $\$ 500$ or less o
if the charity keeps the vehicle. if the charity keeps the vehicle.
The spokesman said the 200 rules are not final and have not been published. Because the rules cover donations that will be made in
2005, the IRS has time to produce new publications to address the issue. Taxpayers typically obtain mar-
ket value from price guides such ket value from price guides such
as the N.A.D.A. Used Car Guide Kelley Blue Book or Edmunds.com price that "a willing buyer and a willing seller" would agree to. Taxpayers have to itemize deductions to
claim a vehicle donation claim a vehicle donation they can no longer use published
market value to claim a $\$ 3,000$ deduction for a "beater" that sells for $\$ 300$. Charities say they will lose
income because the rules will encour-
age donors to sell their cars.
Congress tightened the rules afte Congress tightened the rules after
Government Accountability Office study found that charities often receive less than 10 percent of the value declared on individuals' tax returns. In one example, a 1991 Ford Crown Victoria was valued at $\$ 3,100$
on a tax return but sold for $\$ 300$ and netted $\$ 165$ for the charity after expenses.
The GAO
The GAO estimated that in 2000 deductions from donations of 733,000 deductions from donations of 733,000
vehicles. The IRS spokesman said the IRS could not verify those figures. Most charities use services that charge for towing the vehicles, selling them at auction and doing the
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model year at its Belvidere, Ill.,
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sedans there. Chrysler officials say they plant operation Belvidere to flexplant operation to build more
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decision has been made. decision has been made.
Compact Neon sales $h$ an on-again, off-again history. Flex-plant capability would provide constant production despite a model's ups and downs. The Neon replacement and the
next-generation Stratus/Sebring sedans are being developed jointly with Mitsubishi. So Chrysler could build Stra-
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through Nextel. Parents pay for whatever monthly service plan they choose, plus $\$ 14.99$ a month or decal service, $\$ 19.99$ for GPS tracking and $\$ 24.99$ for the decal plus GPS tracking, said Jack ing for Teen Alive.
With the GPS feature, parWith the GPS feature, par-
ents can use an online satellite ents can use an online satellit
map to track the teens, the map to track the teens, the
direction they're traveling and how fast they're going. They tion from their phone at home or work. With the decal service, parants also can equip the car with a ree number motickerists can call to report unsafe driving to the Teen Arrive Alive message center, which phones or e-mails parBe advised, however, that if the decal is on the family car and a motorist spots Dad or Mom dri-
could get a call. Church said: "We don't know if kids cover up the numbers
when they leave home. We get some feedback from parents about the calls, but since parents get the calls, we don't know how successful they've been. We know of one case where a call
was made simply to report that was made simply to report that but had a low tire and the motorist called the number on he decal so the teen would be warned.'

> There comes word that the
Ford Focus was supposed to Ford Focus was supposed to be say that former President Jacques Nasser became upset when the Fusion name leake moniker changed to tocus Now that Nasser's gone Fusion will be resurrected on the 2006 midsize sedan companion to he Ford Five Hundred.

Body-shops want to stop insurers from owning collision-repair firms

## BY GREGORY CANCELADA

t. Louis Post-Dispatch (KRT) ST. LOUIS - When Allstate sion Centers Inc. three years sogo, the insurer saw the deal as a way to enhance customer service, improve repair quality and
lower costs in some markets. lower costs in some markets.
Independent collision-repair shops, however, saw a conflict of interest, created when insurance claims and repair services are managed by the same corporation.
The result has been a small but The result has been a small but growing movement among body-
shop owners to press for state laws that prohibit insurers from owning collision-repair businesses. in the best way possible and deal in the best way possible and dea
with the vehicle owner," said

Bob Redding, who heads lobbying efforts for trade group Automotive Service Association in port insurance companies being part of that particular process." Redding sees independent repair shops as the advocate of the epairing a car. "If you take that repairing a car. "If you take that
independent advocate out of the equation, it has the potential to skew the process.'
Allstate, based in Allstate, based in Northbrook, he., said no conflict exists and tha standing about why the insurer acquired the repair chain, which now calls itself Sterling Autobody collision-repair chains, Sterling collision-repair chains, Sterling
operates 60 facilities in 14 states.

Lane warning system fails to cross into utility

## BY JIM MATEJA

In real estate, it's location, loca tion, locan In autos it's execution, Credit Infiniti for trying, but more work needs to be done to con vince motorists that they need to buy a lane-departure warning system
that will alert them when they've crossed the center line and are at risk of a head-on collision. Some automakers have been tin-
kering with lane-departure systems but Nissan's luxury Infiniti divi sion has made the first available in production vehicles, the 2005
FX $35 /$ FX 45 crossovers. It's slated FX35/FX45 crossovers. It's slated
for the M45 sedan in March. Very simply, the vehicles use
sophisticated sensors and a cam sophisticated sensors and a cam-
era mounted inside at the top of the era mounted inside at the top of the
windshield to detect lane markings that divide the road as well as the painted line along the side of the pavement adjacent to the shoulder
If you cross the center lane divider or the solid line near the shoulder at about 40 mph , three
short beeps sound to tell you that you need to get back in your own lane. Using the turn indicator silences
the beeps, because it tells the system the beeps, because it tells the system
you're awake and simply pulling out to pass or pulling off the road. Frank Memole, vice president of automotive sensors for Iteris Inc.,
of Anaheim, Calif, which develof Anaheim, Calif., which devel-
oped the system, brought a lane-departure-equipped FX45 to the office for a brief experience. The system was supposed to be
offered by Nissan two years ago offered by Nissan two years ago.
"We were meeting with Nissan offi cials in California on9/11, after which all car companies had financial trou-
bles so it was delayed "Memole sid bles so it was delayed," Memole said.
Now ready the lane-departure system does as advertised. Reach 40 mph, cross the marker and the beeps start. Signal first with the turn indicator and enjoy silence.
when Memole cites governmen statistics that 55 percent of all fatal accidents are caused by lane depar tures - moving into the wrong lane
or leaving your lane and heading for

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A girl (Sofia Vassilieva, left) prepares for the holidays with her nanny (Julie Andrews) in 'Eloise at Christmastime' Tuesday on ABC Family Channel.

TRIVIA
Holiday wonders
By Jay Bobbin
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QUESTIONS:

1) NBC repeats the seasonal 1946 movie classic "It's a Wonderful Life" Saturday, Dec. 25. What is the name of the town where George Bailey (James Stewart) lives?
2) In "A Christmas Story" (1983), which holiday gift does young Ralphie hope for more than any other?
3) "White Christmas" (1954), starring Bing Crosby and Danny Kaye, was in large part a remake of which film?
4) Crosby won an Oscar for playing a priest in the 1944 drama "Going My Way." Name the sequel, released the following year, in which he reprised the role.
5) Who played the girl who came to believe in a department-store Santa in the original 1947 version of "Miracle on 34th Street"?
6) In the award-winning 1977 TV movie "The Gathering," who played the dying businessman who brought his far-flung family back together for his final holiday season?
7) What future Golden Globe winner debuted as an alien child in "Santa Claus Conquers the Martians" (1964)?
8) What is the name of Santa's nemesis in "The Christmas That Almost Wasn't" (1966)?
9) Name the action figure Arnold Schwarzenegger's character seeks in "Jingle All the Way" (1996).
10) Who played the unlikely holiday travel partners in "Planes, Trains and Automobiles" (1987)?

## ANSWERS:

1) Bedford Falls.
2) A Red Ryder air rifle.
3) "Holiday Inn" (1942), which starred Crosby and Fred Astaire.
4) "The Bells of St. Mary's."
5) Natalie Wood.
6) Edward Asner.
7) Pia Zadora. (Her Golden Globe was for 1982's "Butterfly.")
8) Phineas T. Prune (played by Rossano Brazzi, also the film's director).
9) Turbo Man.
10) Steve Martin and John Candy.


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## More showbiz legends are Kennedy Center honorees

## By Jay Bobbin © Zap2it

Rarely would two Oscar winners, a legendary acting duo, an opera star and pop music's 'Rocket Man' be saluted at the same time.

Leave it to the Kennedy Center Honors, noted as much for its variety as for sheer class. CBS airs the 27th annual edition of the ceremony subtitled 'A Celebration of the Performing Arts' Tuesday, Dec. 21. Warren Beatty, film composer John Williams, spouses Ossie Davis and Ruby Dee, soprano Joan Sutherland, and Elton John are the honorees.

After substituting for Walter Cronkite last year, Caroline Kennedy returns as host of the new special taped Dec. 5 in Washington, D.C. Other participants in-
clude Jack Nicholson, Steven Spielberg, Billy Joel, Kid Rock, Faye Dunaway, Robert Downey Jr., Angela Bassett, Broadway stars Audra McDonald and Brian Stokes Mitchell, opera veterans Renee Fleming and Marilyn Horne, and violinist Itzhak Perlman.

Beatty is cited for the multiple jobs he's filled in his film career, as both star and producer of 'Bonnie and Clyde' and 'Shampoo' and as director of 'Reds' - for which he won a best director Oscar - and 'Heaven Can Wait.' Having participated in two previous Kennedy Center Honors, Beatty calls the occasion 'an enjoyable night, at least from the point of view of a presenter.'

When he received the letter notifying him of the honor, Beatty was 'at home,
having breakfast,' and he adds that his wife, Annette Bening, was nearby. Fellow recipient Williams appreciates sharing the accolades with both Beatty and Davis. 'I know Ossie very well, because he and I have performed together in quite a few concerts,' Williams says. 'I had met Warren many years ago with his sister, who I also know very well. I knew him then as Shirley MacLaine's younger brother.'

Currently scoring 'Star Wars: Episode III - Revenge of the Sith,' four-time Oscar winner and Boston Pops laureate conductor Williams has created memorable themes for many movies, including 'Raiders of the Lost Ark,' 'Jaws' and 'Jurassic Park.'
'The more you write mu-
sically, the more you learn,' he reasons, 'and it's always exciting to feel you're growing. I also think any senior musician will tell you that he or she has more fun with it now than they did 20 or 30 years ago. There's something about music that makes it part of our human vocabulary, our way of communicating.

Known for being unpredictably independent in choosing projects, Beatty maintains 'that's the only thing you can do in the long run. You can't guess what other people are interested in; sometimes it coincides and sometimes it doesn't, but that's the way it goes. At a certain point, you become spoiled, but only when you've been able to afford to follow your own interests.

Q\&A

## Still 'Mad

About' former
sitcom co-stars
By Jay Bobbin
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Q.What are Paul Reis.er and Helen Hunt doing these days? Since "Mad About You" ended, they seem to have just disappeared from the scene. -Betty Smith, Atlanta.

AReiser wrote and co-produced the just-aired, computer-animated Fox special "Popeye's Voyage: The Quest for Pappy." He's also the writer, co-producer and star of the upcoming feature "The Thing About My Folks," in which Peter Falk and Olympia Dukakis play his parents.

Oscar winner Hunt became a first-time mom in May, having a daughter with writer-producer Matthew Carnahan ("Fastlane"). She'll soon be seen in a movie version of the Oscar Wilde play "A Good Woman." On the
home screen, she'll appear in HBO's "Empire Falls" with Paul Newman, Joanne Woodward, Ed Harris, Robin Wright Penn and Aidan Quinn.

Q:-I recently watched ""The Thorn Birds," and I am wondering what became of Rachel Ward. She did such a fabulous job with her role as Meggie. -Kathy E., Parkville, Md.

A:.The British-born actress still works occasionally, but when the classic miniseries had a 20th-anniversary showing last year, she told us she's just as content to remain at home in Australia with her husband, Bryan Brown, who played Luke to her Meggie in "The Thorn Birds," and their three children. Her most recent acting role was in Hallmark Channel's 2002 Western "Johnson County War," but she later appeared, along with Brown and Richard Chamberlain, in a retrospective documentary produced for Warner Home Video's DVD edition of "The Thorn Birds."

Q.Please tell me if FX -will be returning "The Shield" to its lineup. Terry Frederick, York, Pa.

A.lt will indeed, and -with quite an impressive addition to its cast. The gritty police drama is tentatively set to begin its fourth season in March, and Vic Mackey (Emmy winner Michael Chiklis) and his colleagues will have quite a formidable new boss. We know this because the part will be played by Glenn Close, in her first-ever turn as a series regular.

Q:-This is driving me nuts! What was the name of the actor who played Homer Bedloe on the old "Petticoat Junction" series? I think he also had a bit part in "ll's a Wonderful Life" and did a guest shot on "I Love Lucy" in the episode in which Little Ricky was born. -Deb Squirrel. Danville, Pa.

A:.The credits of veterman character actor Charles Lane read like a history of American enter-
tainment in the 20th century. "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington," "42nd Street," "The Farmer's Daughter," "Mighty Joe Young," "No Time for Sergeants," "The Music Man" and "Murphy's Romance" are among his other movies.

On television, "The Real McCoys," "The Beverly Hillbillies," "Bewitched," "Soap" and "The Winds of War" also benefited from Lane's distinctive presence. His last appearance on record was in the 1995 ABC remake of Disney's "The Computer Wore Tennis Shoes," and our sources indicate that on Jan. 26, he will mark his 100th birthday.

Send questions of general interest to TV Pipeline, Zap2it, 333 Glen St., Glens Falls, NY 12801, or e-mail to tvpipeline@tribune.com. Only questions selected for this column will be answered. Personal replies cannot be sent.

## AUTO RACING

SUNDAY
2:30 p.m.
(SPEED)
Porsche Super
Cup. Highlights from Spa, Belgium and Monza, Italy. (Tape) 4 p.m. (SPEED) CORR Sportsman Series. Race 2 from Topeka, Kan. (Tape)
WEDNESDAY
12 p.m. (SPEED) British Touring Car Championship Series. Rounds 7 \& 8 from Chester, England. (Tape) 1 p.m. (SPEED) German Touring Car Series. From Klettwitz, Germany. (Tape)

## THURSDAY

12 p.m. (SPEED) Australian V8 Supercars. From Queensland. (Tape)
1 p.m. (SPEED) Australian V8 Supercars.
From Victoria. (Tape)

FRIDAY
12 p.m. (SPEED) European Touring Car Championship Se-


Edgerrin James and the Indianapolis Colts host the Baltimore Ravens Sunday on ESPN.
ries. From Mag-ny-Cours, France. (Tape)
8 p.m. (SPEED) Summer Shootout Series. Round 4 from Concord, N.C. (Tape)

## BASKETBALL

WEDNESDAY
10 p.m. (ESPN2) Memphis Grizzlies at Golden State Warriors. (Live) 9733629
THURSDAY
8 p.m. (TNT) Minnesota Timberwolves at San Antonio

Spurs. (Live) 870675
10:30 p.m. (TNT)
Miami Heat at
Sacramento
Kings. (Live)
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## SATURDAY

12:30 p.m.
(ESPN) Detroit
Pistons at Indiana Pacers.
(Live) 839748
3:15 p.m. 4 Miami Heat at Los Angeles Lakers. (Live) 11250106

BOAT RACING SATURDAY

11 a.m. (SPEED) IHBA Drag Boat
Series. (Tape)
11:30 a.m.
(SPEED) UIM
Powerboat Series. From
Cagliari, Sar-
dinia. (Tape)

## BOBSLEDDING

SATURDAY
3 p.m. (SPEED)
International
Series. (Tape)

## BOWLING

## SUNDAY

1 p.m. (ESPN) PBA Orange County Classic. From Fountain Valley, Calif. (Live) 128242
BOXING

SUNDAY
9 a.m. (HBO2) Glen Johnson vs. Antonio Tarver, Light Heavyweights. From Los Angeles. Johnson (41-9-2, 28 KOs) takes on Tarver (22-2, 18 KOs) in this 12-round event. (Tape) 8310432

## COLLEGE BASKETBALL

 SUNDAY2 p.m. (FOXSP) Old Dominion at Penn State. (Live) 697703
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6 p.m. (FOXSP)
Florida State at Maryland. (Live) 617567

8 p.m. (FOXSP) North Carolina State at Washington. (Live) 516884

## MONDAY

7 p.m. (ESPN2) Princeton at Temple. (Live) 1176579

## TUESDAY

7 p.m. (ESPN2) Iowa vs. Texas Tech. From Chicago. (Live) 9976191
9 p.m. (ESPN2) UCLA at Michigan State. (Live) 5468889

WEDNESDAY
8 p.m. (ESPN2) Illinois vs. Missouri. From St. Louis, Mo. (Live) 5429990

## THURSDAY

7 p.m. (ESPN2) Richmond at Pittsburgh. (Live) 2520615
9 p.m. (ESPN2) Providence at Memphis. (Live) 5322033

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| SKATING |
| SUNDAY |
| 1 p.m. (ESPN2) |
| ISU Cup of |
| Russia. From |
| Moscow. (Tape) |
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## FOOTBALL

TUESDAY
7:45 p.m. (ESPN) Champs Sports Bowl: Georgia Tech vs. Syracuse. From Orlando. (Live) 44272860

## WEDNESDAY

8 p.m. (ESPN) GMAC Bowl: Bowling Green vs. Memphis. From Mobile, Ala. (Live) 414006

## THURSDAY

6:30 p.m. (ESPN)
PlainsCapital Fort Worth
Bowl: Cincinnati vs. Marshall. From Fort Worth, Texas. (Live) 45767101
9:45 p.m. (ESPN) Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl: UCLA vs. Wyoming. From Las Vegas. (Live) 14473472

## FRIDAY

7 p.m. (ESPN) Sheraton Hawaii Bowl: Alabama-Birmingham vs. Hawaii. From Honolulu. (Live) 630502

## GOLF

SUNDAY
2:30 p.m. (ESPN) V Foundation Celebrity Classic. From Cary, N.C. (Tape) 867600
4 p.m. 4
Wendy's ThreeTour Challenge, Final Day. From Reflection Bay Golf Club in Henderson, Nev. (Tape) 6432

## MONDAY

3 a.m. (ESPN2) Wendy's Three Tour Challenge. From Reflection Bay Golf Club in Henderson, Nev. (Tape) 4986537

## SATURDAY

3 p.m. (ESPN) RE/MAX World Long Drive Championship. From Mesquite, Nev. (Tape) 871583
4 p.m. 9 (1) 12 ADT Skills Challenge. From Trump International Golf Club in Palm Beach, Fla.
(Tape) 5293
88318903

## HOCKEY

## SATURDAY

 8:30 p.m. (ESPN2) IIHF World Jr. Championship: Russia vs. United States.From Grand Forks, N.D. (Live) 9685038

## MOTORCYCLE

 RACING
## SUNDAY

3 p.m. (SPEED)
AMA Grand Na tional Series.
From DuQuoin, III. (Tape)

5 p.m. (SPEED) Canadian Motocross Series. From Moncton, New Brunswick. (Tape)

## TUESDAY

12 p.m. (SPEED) FIM Motocross Series. From Teutschenthal, Germany. (Tape)
1 p.m. (SPEED) FIM Motocross
Series. From Lichtenvoorde, Netherlands. (Tape)

## NFL FOOTBALL

SUNDAY
1 p.m. 257 San Diego Chargers at Cleveland Browns. (Live) THE DOMINION POST

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4063 Seattle Seahawks at New York Jets. (Live) 643074
4 p.m. 257 Jacksonville Jaguars at Green Bay Packers. (Live) 660797386703

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8:30 p.m. (ESPN) Baltimore Ravens at Indianapolis Colts. Head coach Brian Billick and the Ravens travel to Indianapolis to take on the Colts. (Live)

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## MONDAY

9 p.m. 4 New England Patriots at Miami Dolphins. Defending Super Bowl champions take on division rival Miami. Not gatiline The Dominion Post verary dav? We're North-Central West Virginia's \#1 source for local news - seven days a week.

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Chris Webber and the Sacramento Kings play host to the Miami Heat Thursday on TNT.

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| WTAE 4 | - News (CC) 15722 |  | -Good Morning |  | - News (CC) 428513 |  |  |  |  | This Week |  | Kids |
| WDTV 5 | Wall St. | Critter | Voices | Harvest | Wings of Faith |  | -CBS News Sunday Morning |  |  | - Nation | WV Work | Church |
| WTRF 7 | Paid Prg. | Kid News | - Woods | In Search | Decision | $\bigcirc$ News | - Today (CC) 33600 |  | orning | - Nation | Mathews | Decision |
| WTOV 9 | R. Ebert | - Buckeye | Ernest Angley Hour |  | Discov. | Christian |  |  | -Meet the Press |  | Business | Wild Life |
| WPXI 11 | Mass/TV | Paid Prg. | - News (CC) 583068 |  |  |  |  |  | Busines | -Meet | Press | Paid Prg. |
| WBOY 12 | Outreach | Paid Prg. | $\triangle$ Woods .. | Kids | Decision | -News | - Today | ) 39838 | -Meet | Press | Mathews | Decision |
| WQED[3 | Sesame Street |  | Jakers! | Zoboom | Rogers | Angelina | Thomas | Anne | Couch | Siamese | DFlyTV | Lifesteps |
| WCWB® | Paid Programming 597797 |  |  |  | In Touch 434074 |  | Paid Programming 665161 |  |  |  |  |  |
| WNPB24 | Anne | Jet Plane | Skills | Skills | Business | Kids Clb | Thomas | Jet Plane | Arthur | Anne | Jakers! | Couch |
| WVFX 48 | Paid Programming |  | John Hagee |  | In Touch 3008068 |  | Van Impe | Christ | Fox News Sunday |  | Paid Prg. | Ministry |
| WPGH63 | Focus | Paid Prg. | Coral Ridge Hour |  | Paid Prg. | Believer | Discov. | Paid Prg. | Fox New | unday | Paid Programming |  |

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| A\&E | Paid Programming | Biograp | 3819 | Breakfast | With Arts | BreakfastW | Vith Arts | Biograph | 492819 | Biograph | 309155 |
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| AMC | (5:15) ** "Jet Piot" (1957) 'G' 95309529 |  |  | (7:45) „ᄎ *Hatari!" (1962, Adventure) John Wayne. 94700161 |  |  |  |  |  | Flying Leathernecks |  |
| ANPL | "Bear With Me" (2000) Kaitlyn Burke. (CC) |  |  | Dog | Dog | Breed | Breed | K-9 to 5 | K-9 to 5 | Animals | Animals |
| BET | BET's Morning Inspiration 889987 |  |  |  |  | Bobby Jones |  | Video Gospel |  | Lift Every Voice |  |
| BRAVO | Brokedown\|Music | Paid Programming 254277 |  |  |  |  |  | Paid Programming |  | Making | Music |
| CMTV | CMT Music |  |  |  |  |  |  | Crossroads (N) (S) |  |  | Insider |
| CNBC | Outside Paid Programming |  |  |  |  | Paid Programming |  |  |  |  |  |
| CNN | CNN Presents | CNN Sunday Morning 550548 |  |  | Person | Sunday Morning |  | Inside Politics Sun. |  | CNN Live OSources |  |
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| CSN | Paid Programming | -Sports | - Sports | -Sports | -Sports | $\triangle 60 \mathrm{Min}$. | $\triangle 60$ Min. | $\Delta$ SportsCentury (CC) |  | $\Delta$ SportsCentury (CC) |  |
| DISC | Paid Programming 448631 |  |  |  |  | Wild Africa 295221 |  | Smelliest Animals |  | Young Scientist |  |
| DISN | Winnie Bear | Koala | Wiggles | Higgly | Circus | Wiggles | Stanley | Rolie | Mouse | Life of Santa Claus |  |
| E! | Paid Programming | Attrac. | Scenes | Entertainer of Year |  | Usher Uncut |  | Life/Great | Holidays | -E! News Weekend |  |
| ESPN | $\triangle$ Sportctr. $\triangle$ SportsCenter |  | -SportsCenter |  | - NFL | -SportCtr. | -Outside | -Sports | $\triangle$ SportCtr. | - NFL Cou | ntdown |
| ESPN2 | $\triangle$ Adv. $\quad$ Real Tree | - Fishin' | $\triangle$ K 9 Nat'n | Whitetail | $\triangle$ Dog Onlt | - Outdoors | WWild Sky | -Wildlife | - Timbersp | orts Series | - Sports |
| EWTN | El Belen $\quad$ Rosary | Mercy | Mysteries | Sunday Ma | ss: Our Lady |  | Visitor | Jesus of | azareth | Advent | Rosary |
| FAM | Children Facts | Beyblade | Beyblade | Rangers | Rangers | Robot | W.I.T.C.H. 81 | 12906 | Digimon | Rangers | Rangers |
| FLIX | * "Madhouse" (1990) John Larroquette |  |  | Look Who's ... |  | (9:15) ^ "Thunder Alley" (1967, Drama) |  |  |  | Toys in the Attic |  |
| F00D | Paid Programming | Cooking | Tyler | Good Eat | 30-Min. | Woligang | Secret | Boil | Cooking | Sandra | 30-Min. |
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| FX | Paid Programming | * "Home Alone 3" (1997) Alex D. Linz. |  |  |  | King/Hill King/Hill $\star$ * "Big Momma's Hous |  |  |  |  |  |
| GOLF | $\triangle$ Central $\quad$ - Golf | -Big Break II: Winner Takes All. |  |  |  | Paid Programming |  |  |  | - Big Break II |  |
| HALL | World Music <br> Paid Programming  | ** "The Christmas Box" (1995) 5156548 |  |  |  | America at Worship 1783838 |  |  |  | Mass/Notre Dame |  |
| HGTV |  | House | House | Work | How2 | Before | Spaces | Ground | Lan. | Land | Garde |
| HIST | Paid Programming | Lost Treasures |  | Business CENTER |  | Mail Call Murders |  | "Sea Wolves" 3396567 |  |  |  |
| HSN | Christopher Radko | Gitts for the Home |  | Apparel Gifts/\$50 |  | Christopher Radko |  | LastLuxury Gifts |  | Gifts for the Home |  |
| LIFE | Paid Programming 351513 |  |  |  |  | Paid Programming |  | H'd 2 Toe Golden |  | "Dead Silent" |  |
| MSNBC | MSNBC Investigates | Economy Watch |  | MSNBC News Live |  | MSNBC News Live |  |  |  | MSNBC News Live |  |
| MTV | End of 2004 Countdown (S) 459109 |  |  |  |  | End of 2004 |  | ETMTVParents | Made (S) 179703 |  | Xmas |
| NICK | Thorn. Arnold! | Rkt Pr | Rugrats | Jimmy | Jimmy | Sponge. | Sponge. |  | Parents | Phantom | Teenage |
| QVC | (5:00) Practical | Holiday Entertaining |  | Under the Tree |  | Great Gifts 2455364 |  |  |  |  |  |
| SCIFI | Paid Programming 2467616 |  |  |  |  | "The Last Man on Planet Earth" 3518364 |  |  |  | "Target Earth" |  |
| SPIKE | Paid Programming (S) 266659 |  |  | Increasing Faith |  | True Dads With Bruce Willis (S) 399646 |  |  |  | -WWE Experience |  |
| TBS | (6:15) * "Big Bully" (1996) 'PG' 3535971 |  |  | "National Lampoon's Vacation" 1922600 |  |  |  | (10:15) $\begin{aligned} & \text { ® "The Cable Guy" } 7597971\end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| TCM | ** "They Made Me a Criminal" (1939) |  |  | * $\star$ * "To Have and Have Not" (1944) |  |  |  | « $\star$ « "In the Good Old Summertime" (CC) |  |  |  |
| TLC | Paid Programming 629567 |  |  |  |  | Trading Spaces |  | In a Fix 831345 |  | While You Were Out |  |
| TNT | * "On Deadly Ground" (1994) 'R' 466857 |  |  | * * "Hard to Kill" (1990, Action) 'R' 999600 |  |  |  | "Librarian: Quest for the Spear" 137426 |  |  |  |
| TOON | Dexter Dexter | Totally | Totally | Static | Yu-Gi-Oh! | J.Chan | Lyoko | Code Code |  | Billy ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Carne |  |
| TRAV | Paid Programming 4671136 |  |  |  |  | Girl ... Homes |  | Hotels | Hotels | Great Outdoors |  |
| TVL | Gunsmoke 490971 | Bonanza 740513 |  | Burnett | F.Wilson | Addams | Van Dyke | Mister Ed | Munsters | Bewitch | G. Acres |
| USA | Coach Coach | Paid Progr | amming 9428 |  |  | $\star \star$ "Santa | Who?" (2000 | , Comedy) | 99258 | $\triangle$ PGA Tour Sunday |  |
| VH1 | Jump Start (S) 117659 |  |  | Top 40 of 2004 (S) 188890 |  |  |  | Best Year Ever |  | Motormth | Motormth |
| WE | Paid Programming |  |  |  |  | Paid Programming |  |  |  | "Change of Place" |  |
| WGN | Tom'row Children | World | Children | David | R. Floyd | NightMan 86 | 64695 | Mutant X | 7503 | The X-Files | 495567 |

MOVIE CHANNELS

| HBO | Chasing Liberty | Scooby-Doo and ... | IInside the NFL | "Life and Death of Peter Sellers" 225682 | LifeStory | Gremlins |
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| HBO2 | "Back to the Beach" 1917600 | $\star$ "Strictly Business" 1003451 | © Boxing (Tape) (S) (CC) 8310432 | Cheaper |  |  |

MAX (5:40) "Once Upon a Time in the West" 41724635 $\quad \star \star \star$ "The Company" (2003) (C) $847971 \quad \star \star$ "Bad Boys Il" (CC) 232426

| MMAX (5:30) Shadow Men | (7:05) "Stay Tuned" 2040890 | $(8: 35)$ Love Don't Cost a Thing | $(10: 15) \star \star \star$ "The Ring" (2002) 8719426 |
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| SHOW (5:25) "Guy Thing" | (7:05) Wild Thornberrys Movie (8:35) "Carry Me Home" | (10:15) "The Four Feathers" 10008722 |
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SHOW2 (5:50) "Terminal Velocity" $\mid(7: 35) \star \star \star$ "Barbershop" (CC) 41939906 $\quad \star \star$ "Houseguest" (1994) Sinbad. $1180548 \quad$ Children
TMC (6:05) $\star \star$ "Abandon" (2002) Katie Holmes. $\quad$ (7:45) What Happened Was ..
(9:25) ^ "Back Roads" (1981)

* "Outta Time" (CC)

InD1 $\quad$ Naked News TV! $\quad$ Blind Date Uncensored Marathon (S) (CC) 3399635

- Soccer 8232600

InD3 Eternal Sunshine ... $\quad \star \star$ "The Alamo" (2004, War) Dennis Quaid. (S) (CC) $\quad \star \star \star$ "Elf" (2003, Comedy) Will Ferrell. (CC) Garfield

| C | -NFL Today 19838 | \NFL Football: San Diego Chargers at Cleveland Browns. 322364 |  |  | -NFL Football (Live) (CC) 660797 |  |  |  |
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| WTAE 4 | Lizzie Phil, Fut | Paid Programming | * $\star$ "A Different Kind of Christmas" 1074 |  | $\Delta$ Golf (Tape) 6432 |  |  |  |
| WDTV 5 | - NFL Today 39616 | -NFL Football: San Diego Chargers at Cleveland Browns. 959432 |  |  | - NFL Football (Live) (CC) 386703 |  |  |  |
| WTRF 7 | - NFL Today 51884 | -NFL Football: San Diego Chargers at Cleveland Browns. 871600 |  |  | - NFL Football (Live) (CC) 208971 |  |  |  |
| WTOV 9 | Mr. Food Paid Progr | amming 738722 | TBA Paid Prg. | -Adventure Sports | Kurt Bro | ing's Gotta | kate (N) 96 |  |
| WPXI 11 | (11:30) Paid Prog. | Celebrate the Season Parade 80971 |  | $\triangle$ Adventure Sports | Kurt Browning's Gotta Skate ( N ) 4703 |  |  |  |
| WBOY 2 | Calvary Paid Progra | ramm |  | $\triangle$ Adventure Sports | Kurt Browning's Gotta Skate ( N ) 2345 |  |  |  |
| WQED[3 | AgeThng LifeQuest | Second \|Magazine | Horizons ${ }^{\text {T }}$ T. Brown | Jews \& Christians: A Journey of Faith |  |  | Avi Hoffman |  |
| WCWBr2 | $\star \star \star$ "James and the Giant Peach" 35180 |  | Matlock (CC) 23345 | Elimidate ( N ) 74123 | Paid Programming |  | What I | What I |
| WNPB24 | Outlook OMcL'ghlin | Carlson Contrary | T. Brown ${ }^{\text {Book }}$ | Quilts Quilting | Sews | Quilting | Painting | Fine Art |
| WVFX 48 | -Fox NFL Sunday | -NFL Football: Seattle Seahawks at New York Jets. (Live) 6968722 |  |  | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \triangle N F L \\ \hline \triangle N F L \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\triangle$ Celebration of Gold |  | Paid Prg. |
| WPGH63 | $\triangle$ Fox NFL Sunday | MFL Fooball. Sealle Seahawks al New York Jels. (Lve) 6968 I2 |  |  |  | Paid Prg. $\triangle$ Celebration of Gold |  |  |

## CABLE CHANNELS



| AMC | Flying Leatherneck | (1:15) * * * * "The Longest Day" (1962, War) John Wayne. 'G' 33729432 |  |  |  | "The Green Berets" |  |
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| ANPL | Animal Videos | Papa Bear (CC) | Wildlife Journal ( N ) | Up Close and Dangerous |  |  |  |
| BET | TD Jakes/Star | $\star \star$ "Hidden Blessings" | (2000) 307838 | Grown Folks Music | Jazz Special | Fannie | Insp |
| BRAVO | Actor's Studio | Queer Eye/Guy | Inside the Actors Studio (CC) 312155 |  | Actor's Studio | Actor's Studio |  |
| CMTV | Top 20 Countdown: Host Lance Smith. |  | «ᄎ "Pure Country" (1992, Drama) George Strait. 'PG' |  |  | George Strait |  |

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$\star \star$ "Almost Heroes" (1998) Chris Farley.

| BRAVO | Actor's Studio | Queer |
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| CMTV | Top 20 Countdown: | Host Lance |
| CNBC | Paid Prg. | Paid Programming |
| CNN | Late Edition With Wolf Blitzer 30 |  |
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| COURT | NYPD Blue (S) (CC) | NYPD |
| CSN | $\Delta$ SportsCentury | $\Delta$ Spor |


| CNN | Late Edition With Wolf Blitzer 307277 | People in the News |
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E! Love, in Love, in
ESPN $\mathbf{\Delta}(11: 00)$ Countdown
NYPD Blue (S) (CC) -SportsCentury Secret Pearl Harbor Brandy Family Top 10 Bachelors -PBA Bowling

Paid Programming $\star \star$ "Falsely Accused" (1993, Docudrama) CNN Live Sunday Next at CNN 796987
ANPL Animal Videos Papa Ba (CC

John Wayne. G 33729432 Animal Cops Animal Cops $\star \star$ "Hidden Blessings" (2000) $307838 \quad$ Grown Folks Music -NFL Football (Live) (CC) 660797 - Golf (Tape) 6432 - NFL Football (Live) (CC) 386703 - NFL Football (Live) (CC) 208971 Kurt Browning's Gotta Skate (N) 9635 Kurt Browning's Gotta Skate (N) 4703 WBOY 12 Calvary $\quad$ Paid Programming 591068

Kurt Browning's Gotta Skate (N) 2345 | WQEDな3 Age Thng | LifeQuest | Second | Magazine | Horizons | T. Brown |
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| WCWB |  |  |  |  |  | Sews $\quad$ Quilting $\quad$ Painting $\quad$ Fine Art




Actor's Studio Actor's Studio George Strait
In the Money | $\star \star \star \star$ " "The Thin Blue Line" (1988)

EWTN Sunday Mass: Our Lad

| EWTN | Su | s: Our Lad |  | Christm | Concert | Music | Mercy | Rosary | Saints | Jacob's | The W |  |
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| FAM | Full H'se | Full H'se | Boy ... | Boy ... | Frosty's | Xmas | Rudolph' | New Year | Year With | Santa | Santa Cl | STown |
| FLIX | Toys ... | $\star \star \star$ "Wuthering Heights" |  |  | (2:15) $\star \star \star$ "Pressure Point" (1962) |  |  |  | (3:45) $\star \star \star$ "Romeo and Juliet" (1968) |  |  |  |
| FOOD | Italian | Barefoot Contessa |  | Low Carb | Calorie | Unwrap | All Stars | liday | 12 Days of Cookies |  | The Secret Life Of ... |  |
| FOXSP | 11, Max | -Sports | To Be A | unced | -Women's College Basketball 697703 |  |  |  | - College Basketball (JIP) (Live) 422971 |  |  |  |
| FX | ** "Black Knight" (2001, Comedy) Martin Lawrence. |  |  |  |  | King/Hill | King/Hill | King/Hill | King/Hill | Married | Married | Married |



| HALL | Davey \& Goliath | $\star \star \star$ "One Magic Christmas" 1681426 | $\star \star$ "Once Upon a Christmas" 7123906 | Twice Upon a ... |
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HGTV Lan. $\quad$ Restore
HIST SeaWolves

HSN Last Minute Gifts
LIFE (11:00) Dead Silent
Kitchen S. Chic
 MSNBC ©Hardball Matthews **
 $\star \star$ "Dead By Sunset" (1995, Drama) Ken Olin, Lindsay Frost. (CC) 838093

 | Deborah Norville | Headliners Legends | Headliners Legends |
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QVC Gifts From Bob's Kitchen 3027093 Gourmet Holiday 2397161
SCIFI (11:00) Target Earth $\quad \star \star$ "The Beast" (1996, Horror) William Petersen, Karen Sillas. 'PG-13' (CC) 3484987

| SCIFI (11:00) Target Earth |  |  | 87 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20,000 Leagues ... |  |
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| SPIKE | Top Dead | Car | -Horse. | \| Trucks! | - Trucks! | - Trucks! | \Trucks! | -Trucks! | -Trucks! | © Trucks! | 4Trucks! | - Trucks! |


| TBS | "Ace Ventura: Pet Detective" 5469513 |
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| TCM | $\star \star$ "Christmas in Connecticut" (1945) |

5) TLC $\quad$ BstTrading Spaces $\quad$ Clean Swp Awards
TNT $\quad \star \star \star$ "Back to the Future" (CC) 71116703
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USA Monk (CC) 328155
VH1 Britney's Shocking
WE Change of Place (2:15) $\star \star$ "Zoolander" (2001) 3973093
(4:15) $\star$ * "Dumb \& Dumber" 8872258

| WGN | Andromeda 863819 | "March of the Wooden Soldiers" 741258 |
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| HBO | Gremlins 2:The New Batch |  | "Don't Tell Mom the ..." 3789 | Naked Gun |  | Life and Death of ... |
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| HBO2 | Cheaper By Dozen | Ocean's | "Tarzan and the Lost City" | DDo You Believe? | Sinbad: Legend of Seven Seas | $\triangle$ Boxing |
| MAX | (10:30) Bad Boys II | $\star$ "Sphere" (1998) (S) (CC) 16602838 |  | (3:15) $\star \star \star$ "Runaway Jury" (2003) (CC) 37254646 |  | Big Fish |
| MMAX | (12:15) "Stand and Deliver" 23465567 (2:05) „ * |  |  | (2002) 33946109 (4:15) $\star$ « "Identity" (2003) (CC) |  |  |
| SHOW | Four ... ${ }^{\text {a }}$ 尬 " | \\| $\star$ * "Tombstone" (1993) Kurt Russell. 84589838 |  | (2:45) * "Unforgettable" (1996) 2268890 |  | (4:45) "Osama" |
| SHOW2 | Children on Their ... | SHO Me | *** "Bowling for Columb | "Search | for Debra Winger" (5:15) " | ershop" |



| InD1 | $\mathbf{( 1 1 : 0 0 )}$ Prem. Soccer 8232600 | Girls of Surf Illus. | Gram Parsons Tribute | Jerry Springer | 5th Wheel Uncnsrd |
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InD3 Garfield:The Movie $\mid \star \star \star$ "The Passion of the Christ" (2004) Jim Caviezel. $\quad \star \star \star$ "Elf" (2003, Comedy) Will Ferrell. (CC) $\quad$ Day ...
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| SUNDAY PRIME TIME / December 19 |  |  |  |  |  | Sound Investments Home Theater 296-4434 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| CBS <br> KDKA 2 <br> WDTV $\mathbf{5}$ <br> WTRF $\mathbf{7}$ | (4:00) NFL: Jacksonville Jaguars at Green Bay Packers. (Live) (CC) 660797 |  | -60 Minutes (CC) 1451 |  | Cold Case (CC) 4971 |  | * * "Fallen Angel" (2003, Drama) Gary Sinise, Joely Richardson. Reluctantly returning to his hometown, a man reconnects with a young woman he knew as a child. (S) (CC) 7258 |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{\|c} \hline \text { ONews } \\ 7227616 \end{array}$ | $\mathbf{( 2 )}$ <br> $\mathbf{\Delta}$ Sports <br> 2178890 <br> (5) <br> $\mathbf{\Delta}$ Sports <br> $1434513(7)$ <br> CSI |
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| WBN <br> WCWB® | Jack \& Bobby: An Innocent Man. (S) (CC) 47364 |  | Steve Harvey's Big Time 79277 | $\star \star \star \star$ "The Wizard of Oz" (1939, Fantasy) Judy Garland, Frank Morgan. Tornado whisks a Kansas farm girl to a magic land. (S) 'G' (CC) 693426 |  |  |  |  | Cheers (S) (CC) 13819 | Paid Programming 22567 | Victory Christian 92277 | Blind Date (S) (CC) 48600 |
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| A\&E | Find \& Design |  | Airline (CC) 240258 |  | «ᄎ * "No Way Out" (1987) Kevin Costner. 138857 |  |  |  |  | Bounty | CSI: Miami 493548 |  |
| AMC | (5:00) ** "The Green Berets" 590567 |  |  |  | « * "The Sea Chase" (1955) John Wayne. 468109 |  |  |  |  | * " "In Harm's Way" 349136 |  |  |
| ANPL | Spy on the Wild |  |  |  | Croc. Hunter Diaries |  | Austin Stevens |  | Venom ER (CC) |  | Croc. Hunter Diaries |  |
| BET | (5:30) BET Inspiration: Religious programming. 5322884 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| BRAVO | Entertainment/Biggest Things of 2004 |  |  |  | Actor's Studio |  | Signif. Signif. |  | Project Runway |  | Christmas Special |  |
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| COM | (5:00) "Mo' Money" |  | $\star \star$ "The Sweetest Thing" (2002) 'R' (CC) |  |  |  | *ᄎ "40 Days and 40 Nights" (2002) (CC) |  |  |  | South Pk | Together |
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| DISC | American Chopper |  | Biker Build-Off |  | MythBusters |  | Bermuda Triangle (CC) 161797 |  |  |  | MythBusters |  |
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## 6 p.m. on 22

## JACK \& BOBBY

Grace (Christine Lahti) goes to the defense of a teaching colleague accused of sexual harassment in "An Innocent Man." As more evidence becomes known, she has reason to question her loyalty to the accused. Bobby (Logan Lerman) resorts to cheating on a test when he spends more time with his girlfriend (guest star Jeanette Brox) than on studying. Jack (Matt Long) is alarmed by Courtney's (Jessica Pare) new friendship.

## 6 p.m. on FAM

## MOVIE: HARRY POTTER AND THE <br> SORCERER'S STONE

Director Chris Columbus' blockbuster 2001 version of the internationally popular J.K. Rowling story features Daniel Radcliffe as Harry, the young wizard in training. He finds himself the target of an unknown enemy while being schooled in the use of magic at Hogwarts. Rupert Grint and Emma Watson play Harry's young comrades. The expert supporting cast includes Robbie Coltrane, Alan Rickman, Maggie Smith and Richard Harris.

## 7 p.m. on COM MOVIE: THE <br> SWEETEST THING

Cameron Diaz finds unexpected love in this 2002 comedy, which casts her as a woman who has done everything possible to avoid romantic attachments. While out on the town with her girlfriends (Christina Applegate, Selma Blair), a brief encounter with an alarmingly engaging guy (Thomas Jane, " $61^{* ")}$ ) changes everything.

## 7 p.m. on LIFE

## MOVIE: LETHAL VOWS

Nobody suspects foul play when a young wife dies from a mysterious illness. Nobody, that is, except the
woman who used to be married to the victim's husband. She's sure he had something to do with the death. Now all she has to do is convince the authorities that he isn't what he seems, and that she's not just a scorned woman out for revenge on her ex. Marg Helgenberger, John Ritter and Megan Gallagher star in this 1999 thriller.

## 8 p.m. on 254 COLD CASE

In the new episode "Discretion," Lilly (Kathryn Morris) and the team reexamine the murder of an ambitious assistant district attorney. Several years after his death, he's in the news again, with


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| ESPN | -Road Trip |  | -SportCtr. $\mathbf{\Delta N F L}$ PrimeTime |  |  | - NFL Football: Baltimore Ravens at Indianapolis Colts. 219180 |  |  |  |  |  | $\Delta$ SportCtr. |
| ESPN2 | ABask 1150426 |  | « $\star$ « "The Junction Boys" (2002) 2827267 |  |  |  | "3" (2004) Barry Pepper. (CC) 5597345 |  |  |  | "3" (CC) 4505364 |  |
| EWTN | Ben. | Clares | Catholic Compass |  | Advent/Christmas |  | Star | Rosary | EWTN Live |  | Life on the Rock |  |

FAM $\quad \star \star \star$ "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone" (2001) $305451 \quad 1$|  |
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| HBO | Life and Death of ... | $\star \star \star$ "Bend It Like Beckham" (CC) 851548 | The Wire 4200277 | (10:05) $\star \star \star \star$ "Mystic River" 57968797 |
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HBO2 $\Delta(5: 30)$ Boxing (S) (CC) 7342722 $\quad \star \star \star \star$ "The Last Samurai" (2003) Tom Cruise. (S) (CC) $51661093 \quad$ Marvin's Room
MAX (5:30) $\star \star \star$ "Big Fish" (2003) 4525187 $\quad$ (7:45) "League of Their Own" $12418161 \quad$ 1 * "Bad Boys Il" (2003, Action) 429345


| SHOW (6:15) ${ }^{*}$ "Serving Sara" (2002) 48607722 | $\star \star$ "Bulletproof Monk" (2003) 706884 | HUFF (N) 898819 | The LWord 699398 |
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 | InD3 | $(5: 30) \star \star$ "The Day After Tomorrow" (CC) | $\star \star$ "Raising Helen" (2004) Kate Hudson. (S) (CC) | $\star \star \star$ "Elf" (2003) Will Ferrell. |
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headlines linking him to some missing funds, and his wife wants his name cleared. The investigation yields some startling information about the case that the victim was prosecuting at the time of his death.

## 9 p.m. on 257 <br> MOVIE: FALLEN ANGEL

A driven lawyer (Gary Sinise) returns to his Maine hometown and attends to his late father's affairs in this 2003 Hallmark Hall of Fame drama based on Don J. Snyder's novel. The attorney becomes involved with a woman (Joely Richardson, "Nip/Tuck") who doesn't recall they had met many years earli-
er - when both were involved in a tragic accident. Jordy Benattar plays the woman's adopted daughter.

## 9 p.m. on 9 (1) 12 LAW \& ORDER: CRIMINAL INTENT

Goren and Eames (Vincent D'Onofrio, Kathryn Erbe) come to believe a murdered musician may have been a sacrifice in a bizarre head game between his lover - a psychiatrist - and her psychologist husband in "ShrinkWrapped." The key to the case could be the couple's grown daughter, since she grew up serving as her parents' referee.


| KDKA 2 (12:05) West Wing |  |  | Insider | (1:35) EXTRA |  | Voices | (3:05) Up to the Minute |  |  | $\bigcirc$ News | -Nev | C) 811339 |
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| WDTV 5 | Date | Date | (1:05) Outer Limits |  | $\bullet$-(2:05) Up to the Minute (S) 48428575 |  |  |  |  |  | - News | $\bigcirc$ - ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| WTRF 7 | CSI | Entertainment 'Night |  | Parkers | *** "Emma" (1996) 941204 |  |  | -Up to the Minute |  | $\bigcirc$ News | - News | 117 |
| WTOV 9 | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Unexp. Mysteries |  | Destination Stardom |  | Rescue | R. Ebert | FamFeud | Early Tdy | - News | C) 840136 |
| WPXI 11 | Cops | (12:35) Outer Limits |  | Cops | Missing | Cops | Travel | Rescue | FamFeud | Early Tdy | $\bullet$ News | C) 247865 |
| WBOY 12 | CSI | Edition | R. Ebert | - Dateline NBC |  | - Meet the Press |  | Decision | Paid Prg. | Early Tdy | - News | C) 245407 |
| WQED ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Globe Trekker |  | Live From Studio A |  | Bix Jazz | Bix Jazz Austin City Limits |  |  | Mountain Stage |  | Jubilee (CC) 863827 |  |
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| WVFX 48 | $\star \star$ "Eddie" (1996, Comedy) 3083759 |  |  |  | Paid Programming 7342643 |  |  |  |  |  | Paid Prg. | Rel (JIP) |
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## Many happy returns: A second chance at holiday faves

By Sharla Etkin-Ives © Zap2it

The week before Christmas abounds with opportunities to catch repeats of the holiday TV treats whose original airings you missed while working or shopping for presents. To enhance your viewing experience, we've included suggestions for accessories to have on hand while you watch.
'Santa Claus Is Coming to Town' (Sunday, Dec. 19, and Friday, Dec. 24, ABC Family Channel): The annual classic focuses on Kriss Kringle and his forgiveness of the stingy Burgermeister Meisterburger. Warm Fuzzy: The cranky person down
the street just wants to be loved. Accessories: A yo-yo and a penguin.
'Twas the Night Before Christmas' (Sunday and Friday, ABC Family): A family of animated mice tries to placate Santa after one of its members offends the Jolly One by disbelieving. Warm Fuzzy: All creatures can live in peace. Accessories: Cheddar cheese and Ritz crackers.
'Nestor the Long-Eared Christmas Donkey' (Monday, Dec. 20, ABC Family): A donkey delivers a pregnant Mary to Bethlehem - to deliver. Warm Fuzzy: Even the most unlikely creature has great potential. Acces-
sories: Hay, popcorn and a shining star.
'Eloise at Christmastime' (Tuesday, Dec. 21, ABC Family): The hyperactive little girl (Sofia Vassilieva) makes the best of a holiday spent with Nanny (Julie Andrews). Warm Fuzzy: Everything will turn out all right in the end. Accessories: Tranquilizer darts.
'Prancer' (Thursday, Dec. 23, ABC Family): A reindeer is discovered and cared for by a lonely girl. Warm Fuzzy: A girl and her pet, whom she must let go for the good of all. Accessories: Reindeer feed and identification tag.
'The Bishop's Wife' (1937) (Thursday, Turner Classic Movies): An all-toohuman angel tries to help repair a marriage. Warm Fuzzy: Love conquers all. Accessories: Forgiveness and forbearance.
'A Christmas Carol' (1938) (Thursday, TCM): One of the earlier treatments of the Charles Dickens novel about a skinflint who redeems himself after being visited by ghosts. Warm Fuzzy: All is not lost. Accessories: Black top hat, cane, proper British accent, snow and no source of heat.
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| WTRF 7 | News | The Young | 551730 | The Bold | As World | S 81681 | Guiding Light 76543 |  | Jdg Judy | Jdg Judy | News | News |
| WTOV 9 | News | Friends | Friends | Fam. Feud | Passion | 38353 | Days of Lives 40223 |  | Oprah Winfrey 29730 |  | New | Seinf |
| WPXI 11 | News | Jane Pauley 119778 |  | Fam. Feud | Passion | 32339 | Days of Lives 35391 |  | Jdg Judy | Jdg Judy | News | 4 |
| WBOY 12 | News | Inside Ed. | Days of Lives 71730 |  | Passio | 23681 | Dr. Phil 33933 |  | Oprah Winfrey 12440 |  | News | News |
| WQED 13 | Jet Plane | Magazine | Charlie Rose 39778 |  | Various | Between | Reading | Postcard | Arthur | Maya | Cyberch'e | Zoom |
| WCWBr2 | Home Delivery 84846 |  | Cheers | M* ${ }^{*} \mathrm{~S}^{*} \mathrm{H}$ | The 700 | b 99339 | Pokemon | Mucha | Yu-Gi-Oh! | Yu-Gi-Oh! | Funny | Yes, De |
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| WVFX 46 | Mathis | 3463223 | Justice | Paid Prog. | Starting O | r 2930943 | Home Del | . 8764391 | Makeover | Makeover | King/Hill | Simpsons |
| WPGH 53 | Good Day | ve 28204 | Divorce | Divorce | Hatchett | Hatchett | Judge B. | Judge B. | Jerry Spr | er 78662 | Maury | 48372 |

## CABLE CHANNELS

A\&E City Conf. 270594 Amer. Justice 256914 Movies
Murder, She ... 913662 Third Watch 392020
|M $\star \star \star$ Mask $30445339 \quad \star \star \star$ The Electric Horseman (1979) Robert Redford. (TVPG) 21756759
T $\star \star$ Spencer's Mountain (1963) $\qquad$ 295860 | $\star \star \star$ Flam
AMC
 T Boiling Point 918472 市 $\star$ t The Longest Yard (1974) Burt Reynolds. $805781 \quad \star \star \star$ Silver Streak (1976) Gene Wilder. 893946
F $\star \star \star \star$ Miracle on 34th Street (Color) $402786 \quad \star \star \star \star$ Miracle on 34th Street (Color) $997144 \quad \star \star \star \star$ Miracle on 34th Street (Color) 641328


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| BRAV ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | M West Wing 266952 | Columbo: Negative Reaction (TVPG-V) |  |  | 151681 | Christmas | 165759 | Actor's Studio 177594 |  | Ready to | 518827 |
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|  | T West Wing 710773 | Columbo 968 |  |  | $\star \star \star \star$ Breaking Away (1979) |  |  | 708179 \\| $\star \star$ Working Girl (1988) |  |  | 8) 839808 |
|  | W West Wing 297822 | Columbo: Forgotten Lady (TVPG-V) |  |  | 17521 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  | $\star \star \star$ Silverado (1985) Kevin Kline. |  |  | 545648 |
|  | T West Wing 678743 | Columbo: Now You See Him (TVPG-V) |  |  | 563472 | Entertainment/Biggest Things of 2004373728 |  |  |  | Pacific ... | 953946 |
|  | F West Wing 155892 | Columbo 875601 |  |  |  | $\star \star \star \star$ * Gandhi (1982, Biography) Ben Kingsley, Candice Bergen. 391182 |  |  |  |  |  |
| CMTV | CMT Music | CMT Music |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CNBC | Power Lunch |  |  | Street Signs |  | Closing Bell |  | Closing Bell |  | Kudlow \& Cramer |  |
| CNN | News/CNN 803846 | Live From ... |  | 651952 |  |  | Inside Politic | ics 651827 | Crossfire | Wolf Blitzer | 184198 |
| COM | Various Various | MADTV |  | Various | Various | Movies |  |  |  | Various Programs |  |
| COURT | T Trial Heat | Both Sides |  |  |  | Closing Arguments |  |  |  | Catherine C | Crier Live |
| CSN | Various Programs | Various Programs |  |  |  | Various Programs |  |  |  | College Football |  |
| DISC | B. Smith Style 252198 | Design | 261846 | Design | 143001 | Double Agent 916759 |  | Monst. Garage 928594 |  | Monster | 875353 |
| DISN | Koala Higgly | Circus | Stanley | Winnie | Mouse | Mouse | Recess | Lilo/Stitch | Recess | Kim P. | Family |
| E! | Sat'day Night 609778 | Various Programs |  |  |  | Revealed 356049 |  | Sat'day Night 335556 |  | Various Programs |  |
| ESPN | SportsCenter 179841 | Various | \|Various Programs |  |  | Various Programs |  | Various Programs |  | Around | Pardon |
| ESPN2 | 2 Poker 1115469 | Movies |  |  |  |  |  | Various | Various Programs |  | Various |
| EWTN | Daily Mass: Our Lady | Various Programs |  | Various | Various | Chaplet | Rosary | Various | Various | Various | Various |
| FAM | Movies | Full House Full Ho |  | Step/Step | Step/Step | Boy/World | Boy/World | Full House | Full House | Gilmore Girl | Is 731020 |
| FLIX | Movies | Movies |  |  | Movies |  |  |  | Movies |  |  |
| FOOD | Various Various | Best Of | Food Find | Emeril | 30-Min. | Food 911 | Secret | Cooking | Italian | Various | Various |
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| FX | Movies | Buffy, Vampire Slayer |  | Butfy,Vampire Slayer |  | Cops | Cops | Movies |  |  |  |
| GOLF | Big Break II | Various Programs |  | Various Programs |  | Various Programs |  | Paid Prog. Paid Prog. |  | Paid Prog. | Paid Prog. |
| HALL | Matlock 2369440 | Matlock 2385488 |  | Perry Mason 1661662 |  | Perry Mason 5276204 |  | $\mathrm{M}^{*} \mathrm{~A}^{*} \mathrm{~S}^{*} \mathrm{H}$ | $\mathrm{M}^{*} \mathrm{~A}^{*} \mathrm{~S}^{*} \mathrm{H}$ | $\mathrm{M}^{*} \mathrm{~A}^{*} \mathrm{~S}^{*} \mathrm{H}$ | $\mathrm{M}^{*} \mathrm{~A}^{*} \mathrm{~S}^{*} \mathrm{H}$ |
| HGTV | Homes ... ${ }^{\text {S }}$ Sens. Chic | Decorating \|S. Design |  | Organize D. Design |  | Design Designers |  | Paint |  | Walls Talk | Detective |
| HIST | Various Programs | Marvels 3465681 |  | Various Programs |  | Various Programs |  | Movies |  | Various Programs |  |
| HSN | Various Programs | Various Programs |  | Various Programs |  | Various Programs |  |  |  |  |  |
| LIFE | Mysteries 447204 | Mysteries 456952 |  | Movies |  |  |  | Strong Med. 365136 |  | The Nanny The Nanny |  |
| MSNBC | C MSNBC News Live |  |  | MSNBC News Live |  | MSNBC News Live |  | Lester Holt Live |  |  |  |
| MTV | Various Various | Various | Various | Various | Various | Various | Various | Various | Various | TRL | 739662 |
| NICK | Blue's Little Bill | Backyard Lazy Town |  | Various | Various | Various | Various | Various | Various | Sponge. | Phantom |
| QVC | Various Programs |  |  | Various Programs |  | Various Programs |  | Various Programs |  | Various Programs |  |
| SCIFI |  | Various Programs |  | Movies |  | Various Programs |  | Roswell | 6749074 | BeastMaster 4872662 |  |
| SPIKE | Trek: DS9 617662 | Star Trek 626310 |  | Star Trek | 599827 | MacGyver | 379865 |  | Real TV | Maximum | 914952 |
| TBS | Saved/Bell Saved/Bell | Cosby | Cosby |  | S. Harvey | Carey | Carey | Yes, Dear | Yes, Dear | Home Imp. | Home Imp. |

M $\star \star \star$ Love Affair (1939) $\quad \star \star \star \star \star$ Penny Serenade (1941) Irene Dunne. $\quad \star \star$ A Guy Named Joe (1944, Fantasy) Spencer Tracy.
T $\star \star \star \star$ The Train (1965, Suspense) Burt Lancaster. $\mid \star \star$ Northwest Rangers (1942) $\quad \mid \star \star$ Flight to Hong Kong (1956) $\quad$ Crime ...
TCM $\mathrm{W} \star \star \star$ The Honeymoon Machine $\quad \mid \star \star$ Imitation General (1958) $\quad \mid \star \star \star$ The Hound of the Baskervilles (1959) $\mid \star \star$ Behave Yourself T Two Weeks in ... $\quad \star \star \star$ Divorce, talian Style (1962, Comedy) $\quad \star \star \star$ Quo Vadis (1951, Historical drama) Robert Taylor, Deborah Kerr.
F $\star \star \star \star$ Since You Went Away (1944) Claudette Colbert. $\quad \star \star$ Susan Slept Here (1954) $\quad \star \star \star$ Bell, Book and Candle (1958, Comedy)


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| News 246198 | Rockford Files 135643 | Magnum, P.l. 152285 |
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 F $\star \star \star$ Solaris $1714502 \quad \star \star \star$ That Thing You Do! (1996, Drama) 418337 $\mid \star \star$ Charlie's Angels: Full Throtlle 393705 Caath .... 19301144


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 F $\star$ Vegas Vacation $29695279 \quad \mid \star \star \star$ Mr. Holland's Opus (1995) Richard Dreyfuss. 1380502 $\star \star \star$ Planes, Trains \& Automobiles 4088569

M Matrix ... $\quad \star \star \star$ A Mighty Wind (2003) 798681 „ $\star$ Two Weeks Notice (2002) 5897730 $\star \star \star$ John Grisham's The Rainmaker 16762943 \begin{tabular}{|l|l|l|l|l|l|l|}
\hline T \& Three ... \& $\star \star$ Stuck on You (2003) Matt Damon. 438353 \& $\star \star$ Femme Fatale (2002, Suspense)

 965841 $\star \star \star$ Thunderheart (1992) 606711 

\hline W \& $\star \star$ Mr. Wrong (1996, Comedy) 6525209 \& $\star$ The Order (2003) 479491 <br>
\hline T \& Win a Date ... 5731694 \& $\star$ Sphere (1998) Dustin Hoffman. 61119781 \& $\star$ <br>
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7, Suspense)
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| M | League of ... 8286407 | $\star \star$ From Dusk Till Dawn (1996) 3474556 | $\star$ |
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| T | MAX/Set | $\star \star \star$ Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets 78065841 | $\star$ | $\star \star \star$ Big Fish (2003, Drama) 47494057

815052 Bad Boys II 543439
$\star \star$ Single White Female (1992) 9104594 The Matrix 496958



 M $\star \star \star$ Mona Lisa (1986) Bob Hoskins. 43246846 $\quad \star \star \star$ Searching for Debra Winger $3863662 \quad \star$ Nobody’s Baby (2001) Skeet Ulrich. 4188440


| W | $\star \star \star$ The Snapper (1993, Comedy) 2949667 | $\star \star \star \star$ Moscow on the Hudson (1984) 7618209 | $\star \star$ Class (1983) 95765087 | Lover's ... |
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| T | Children ... | $\star$ Walk Like a Man 94031033 | $\star \star \star$ Little Man Tate (1991, Drama) 26218781 | $\star \star$ The Four Feathers (2002) 3606052 |
| F | Serving ... | $\star \star \star$ Quiz Show (1994) John Turturro. 84381298 | Crocodile ... 7760231 | $\star \star$ The Distinguished Gentleman 8672250 |



| T | Crucible ... 24013421 | Showtime | 2790150 | $\star \star$ Sol Goode (2001) 14191976 | $\star$ Lost Treasure (2003) | 8259353 | Die ... |  |
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T Crime ... $\quad \star \star$ Rosencrantz \& Guildenstern Are Dead
W $\star$ The Golden Child $\quad \star \star \star$ Educating Rita (1983)
T $\star \star \star \star$ Sayonara (1957, Drama) Marlon Brando. (TVPG-V)
$\star \star$ Sidekicks (1993, Martial arts) Chuck Norris.
$\star$ Meteor (1979, Science fiction) Sean Connery.
$\star \star$ Another Stakeout (1993)

| F | Movie | $\star \star$ Days of Thunder (1990, Action) Tom Cruise. |
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$\star \star$ The Whole Wide World (1996, Romance)
$\star \star \star$ The Dead (1987, Drama)
$\star \star \star \star 12$ Angry Men (1957) $\qquad$ $\star \star \star$ The Package (1989) Gene Hackman

| M | 5th Wheel Uncensored Triple Play 1910391 | PRIDE Fighting: Hardcore Knockouts 4263556 | Bikini Model 8127310 | Girls of Surf 7834759 |
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Musical' (Friday, NBC): A musical rendition of the classic tale. Warm Fuzzy: Anything can make it as a musical. Accessory: Suspended disbelief.
'Christmas in Connecticut' (Friday, TCM): An urbanite magazine columnist pretends to be the ultimate homemaker for a soldier on leave. Warm Fuzzy: Nothing can stand in the way of true love. Accesssories: A onehorse open sleigh, cows and women's magazines.
'Christmas With the Mormon Tabernacle Choir' (Friday, PBS - check local listings): Holiday and religious music performed by a professional choir. Warm Fuzzy: Music lifts the heavy
heart. Accessories: Bathrobe or school graduation robe, holiday songbook, and a ruler for good posture.
'It's a Very Merry Muppet Christmas Movie' (Friday, Hallmark Channel): Kermit and the gang need to come up with a bundle of cash to avoid foreclosure on their theater. Warm Fuzzy: You're never poor if you have good friends. Accessory: An 8-by10 photo of Jim Henson surrounded by incense and candles.
'Miracle on 34th Street' (1947) (Friday, AMC): A world-wise little girl and her mother receive a visit from St. Nick, who needs help proving his identity in court. Warm Fuzzy: Belief is a
powerful force. Accessories: Santa suit, precocious child and lawbooks.
'A Christmas Story' (Saturday, Dec. 25, TBS): A boy tries to survive bullies, his odd family and life in general during the winter season. Warm Fuzzy: Surviving childhood is possible. Accessories: Oversized scarf, ice cube to stick your tongue on, list of old wives' tales, and Mom's phone number so she can say, 'I told you so.'
'It's a Wonderful Life' (Saturday, NBC): An angel shows a suicidal man how his loved ones would have lived if he had never existed. Warm Fuzzy: You do mean something to this world. Accessories:

Cardigan sweater, a list of family and
friends' phone numbers, a cherished photo album, and two boxes of tissues - the extra-large kind.
'The Sound of Music' (Saturday, ABC): A nanny and her employer fall in love as they try to get his kids out of the country without being captured by Nazis. Warm Fuzzy: Stick together and everything will be fine. Accessories: A passel of children, a place to hide and a pastoral picture so you can envision the hills being alive.

Yes, you have to sit through commercials. No, you can't pause the action. But isn't it nice to know that thousands of people are watching the exact same thing all over the country? Peace.

| ABC | $\begin{aligned} & \text { eNews } \\ & \text { (CC) } 285 \end{aligned}$ | AABC News (CC) 865 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Inside Edi- } \\ & \text { tion (CC) } \\ & 4339 \end{aligned}$ | Entertainment Tonight ( N ) 579 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { TV Guide: Greatest Mo- } \\ & \text { ments } 2004 \text { (N) (S) (CC) } \\ & 4285 \end{aligned}$ | NFL Football: New England Patriots at Miami Dolphins. Defending Super Bowl champions take on division rival Miami. (Live) (S) (CC) 876846 |  |  |  |
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| CBS <br> KDKA 2 <br> WDTV 5 <br> WTRF $\mathbf{7}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (2) News } \\ & \text { (CC) } 34198 \\ & \text { (5) (7) } \\ & \text {-News } \\ & \text { 42२3 } \end{aligned}$ | (5) (7) -CBS News 5575 | (2) $\operatorname{CBS}$ <br> News 9643 <br> (5) (7) ET <br> (N) 9049 | The Insider (N) 681 | Still Stand- Listen Up <br> ing 8391 4198 | Everybody Two and a Loves Ray- Half Men mond 219839643 | CSI: Miami (CC) 2440 | $\begin{gathered} \text { News } \\ 7121488 \end{gathered}$ | (11:35) <br> Late <br> Show/Letterman |
| NBC <br> WTOV 9 <br> WPXI © <br> WBOY $\mathbb{2}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (9) (11) } \\ & \text { ONews } \\ & 2643 \text { (12) } \\ & 12 \text { News at } \\ & 68681 \end{aligned}$ | - NBC News 6223 | Jeopardy! <br> (N) 7469 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wheel (N) } \\ & 2407 \end{aligned}$ | Fear Factor (CC) 79223 | Las Vegas (CC) 66759 | Las Vegas (CC) 69846 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ONews } \\ & 4927407 \end{aligned}$ | (11:35) The Tonight Show With Jay Leno |
| FOX <br> WPGH 63 <br> WVFX 46 | (53) <br> Friends 81575 (46) Seinfeld 1878952 | (53) Frasier 72827 (46) Seinfeld 1869204 | Friends 49001 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (53) Sein- } \\ & \text { feld 32169 } \\ & \text { (46) That } \\ & \text { '70s Show } \\ & 1865488 \end{aligned}$ | The Swan (Season finale) (CC) 99643 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (53) News } 18778 \text { (46) } \\ & \text { Fear Factor (Part } 2 \text { of 2) } \\ & \text { (CC) } 9375681 \end{aligned}$ | (53) Sein- <br> feld 79391 <br> (46) <br> Friends <br> 8751827 | (53) Yes, Dear 17894 (46) Raymond 7980448 |
| PBS WQED๔ WNPB $๔ 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & (13) \text { New- } \\ & \text { sHour (CC) } \\ & \text { 19914 (24) } \\ & \text { BBC News } \\ & 32285 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (24) Busi- } \\ & \text { ness }(\mathrm{N}) \\ & 56865 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (13) Busi- } \\ & \text { ness (N) } \\ & 8117 \text { (24) } \\ & \text { oNew- } \\ & \text { sHour (CC) } \\ & 60117 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { (13) On Q } \\ \text { Mag. } 5317 \end{array}$ | Antiques: San Diego. San Diego. (S) (CC) 23961 | American Experience (CC) 16778 |  | (13) Tavis <br> Smiley <br> 64827 (24) <br> Charlie <br> Rose <br> 49907 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { (13) On Q } \\ & \text { Mag. } 90440 \end{aligned}$ |
| WBN WCWB®2 | The Simpsons (S) (CC) 47117 | Will \& Grace (S) (CC) 38469 | The Simpsons (S) (CC) 96353 | Will \& Grace (S) (CC) 50681 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 7th Heaven: The Song of } \\ & \text { Lucy. (S) (CC) } 51469 \end{aligned}$ | Everwood: The Birds \& the Batteries. (S) (CC) 64933 | Fear Factor: Las Vegas. (Part 2 of 2 ) (S) (CC) 67020 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Blind Date } \\ & \text { (N) (S) (CC) } \\ & 35933 \end{aligned}$ | Elimidate (CC) 87594 |


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| A\&E | City Confidential | Americ | ustice | Murder on | Tracks | Gotti | Gotti | Airline | Airline | Crossing | ordan |
| AMC | * "Intersection" (1994, Drama) 'R' 323038 |  |  | ** "Final Analysis" (1992) Richard Gere. 'R' 83273 |  |  |  |  | "The Last Seduction" 346074 |  |  |
| ANPL | Crocodile Hunter | The Most Extreme |  | Pet Star ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  | Growing Up ... ( N ) |  | Animal Cops Detroit |  | Pet Star |  |
| BET | 106 \& Park: BET's Top 10 Live |  | BET.com | ** "Prison Song" (2000) Q-Tip. 434391 |  |  |  | Parkers | Parkers | $\bullet$ News | Music |
| BRAVO | Ready to Wear | The West Wing |  | The West |  | The West Wing |  | The West Wing |  | The West Wing |  |
| CMTV | Homecoming | Biggest Headlines |  | Crossroad |  | Inside Fame |  | Christmas/Country |  | Biggest Headlines |  |
| CNBC | Bullseye (CC) |  |  | CNBC, A | signment | Dennis Mi |  | McEnroe |  | CNBC, Assignment |  |
| CNN | Lou Dobbs Tonight | Anderson Cooper |  | Paula Zah | Now | -Larry King Live |  | NewsNight/Brown |  | Lou Dobbs Tonight |  |
| COM | Short Strangers | Daily | «ᄎ "40 Days and 40 Nights" (2002) (CC) |  |  |  | South Pk | Blue/TV | Reno 911 | Year-End Review |  |
| COURT | NYPD Blue (S) (CC) | Cops | Cops | The Inves | gators | Forensic | Forensic | Psychic | Detective | Clues | Fake Out |
| CSN | $\triangle(5: 00)$ Col. Football | $\triangle$ NFL | - NFL | - Sports | - Sports | - Boxing (CC) |  | $\triangle$ Boxing (CC) |  | - Sports | -Sports |
| DISC | American Chopper | Monster Nation |  | Monster House $\quad$ Monster Garage |  |  |  | American Chopper |  | Monster House |  |
| DISN | Stevens Lizzie | Sister | So Raven | $\star \star$ "Inspector Gadget 2" (2003) 3778730 |  |  |  | (9:45) "Inspector Gadget |  |  | Boy ... |

## MONDAY'S BEST <br> 8 p.m. on © 9 FEAR FACTOR

Talk about sibling rivalry! A pair of brothers, a pair of sisters and two brothersister duos are on the hot seat - make that in the glass box - in "Siblings." The contestants' heads are locked inside boxes filled with spiders, and they must transfer keys to each other with their mouths in order to get out. Joe Rogan hosts.

## 8 p.m. on ®马 $^{2}$ 7TH HEAVEN

Eric (Stephen Collins) makes Lucy (Beverley Mitchell) his associate pastor in "The Song of Lucy." Simon (David GalTHE DOMINION POST
lagher) reveals the true reason for his involvement with Georgia (guest star Rheagan Wallace). A felIow detention observer (guest star Aaron Carter) attracts Ruthie (Mackenzie Rosman), but Martin (Tyler Hoechlin) worries about their potential involvement.

## 9 p.m. on 253 EVERYBODY LOVES RAYMOND

Ray (Ray Romano) thinks he's finally thought of a Christmas gift that Frank and Marie (Peter Boyle, Doris Roberts) will like: a family portrait. Piece of cake, right? Not when your wife (Patricia Heaton) and your mom
have very different ideas about who qualifies as family. Robert Culp and Katherine Helmond guest star in "The Christmas Picture."

##  LAS VEGAS

Alec Baldwin guest stars as one of Ed's (James Caan) former CIA colleagues, who wants to sell the Montecito a security system, in "Hellraisers and Heartbreakers." The timing seems unusually opportune, since a guest at the resort taps into its computers. Mary (Nikki Cox) keeps watch over a comedian, fearing his performance will be overly
lewd. Country-music artists Brooks \& Dunn also guest star.

## 9 p.m. on (13) ${ }^{2} 9$ AMERICAN EXPERIENCE

"Miss America" traces the evolution of the nation's oldest beauty pageant from its beginning as a gimmick to keep tourists in Atlantic City, N.J., beyond Labor Day. Over the years, it's changed with the times, albeit at a slower pace. The show has lots of archival footage and interviews with, among others, feminist writer Robin Morgan who led the infamous 1968 protest against the pageant - and several former Misses America.

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| E! | True Hollywood |  | E! News | Life/Great | Top 10 Bachelors |  | Entertainer of Year |  | Love, in | Love, in | H. Stern | H. Stern |
| ESPN | - SportsCenter (CC) 696643 |  |  | -M Monday Night Countdown |  |  | "3" (2004) Barry Pepper. (CC) 628240 |  |  |  | - Dale Earnhardt |  |
| ESPN2 | - Poker | - NFL | - College Basketball (Live) (CC) 1176579 |  |  |  | - Billiards 5401594 |  | - Billiards 5404681 |  | - Billiards 9271943 |  |
| EWTN | Living | Step | Daily Mass |  | The Journey Home |  | Luke | Rosary | Christmas |  | The World Over |  |
| FAM | 7th Heaven 430914 |  | Nestor | Xmas | « * "Three Days" (2001) (CC) 424551 |  |  |  | Whose? | Whose? | The 700 Club |  |
| FLIX | (6:15) * * "Cannonball" (1976, Action) |  |  |  | "The Hairdresser's Husband" |  |  | * * "China Moon" (1994) (S) 'R' |  |  | Mean Season |  |
| FNC | -Special Report |  | Fox Report |  | - The O'Reilly Factor |  | -Hannity \& Colmes |  | Greta Van Susteren |  | - The O'Reilly Factor |  |
| FOOD | 30-Min. | 30-Min. | Good Eat | Unwrap | Emeril Live |  | Unwrap | Unwrap | Secret | American | Iron Chef |  |
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| FX | Fear Factor (S) (CC) |  | King/Hill ${ }^{\text {a }}$ King/Hill |  | « $\star$ « "Twins" (1988, Comedy) 'PG' |  |  |  | Fear Factor (S) (CC) |  | King/Hill | King/Hill |
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| HIST | Christmas Truce |  | Modern Marvels |  | Battlefield Det. |  | Battlefield Det. |  | Investigating History |  | Conspiracy? |  |
| HSN | Carolyn Strauss |  |  |  | NFL Shop |  | Lavante Collection |  | Diamond Gifts |  |  |  |
| LIFE | The Golden Girls |  | „ぇ "'lll Be Home for Christmas" 470925 |  |  |  | "The Angel Doll" (2000, Drama) 274858 |  |  |  | ouse | Golden |
| MSNBC | The Abrams Report |  | -Hardball Matthews |  | Countdown |  | Deborah Norville |  | Scarborough Cty. |  | -Hardball Matthews |  |
| MTV | Real ... | Real ... | Real ... | Real ... | Real | Real | Real | Real | Real | Ozzest | Boiling | Boiling |
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| SPIKE | Police Video |  | CSI: Crime Scene |  | CSI: Crime Scene |  | AWWE RAW (S) (CC) 9830556 |  |  |  | Video Game Awards |  |
| TBS | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Raymond | Raymond | Friends | Friends | (9:15) Frie |  | Friends | Raymond | Raymond | Seinfel |
| TCM | (5:45) * * "The White Cliffs of Dover" |  |  |  | * * * "The Shootist" (1976) John Wayne. |  |  |  | * * "The Rare Breed" (1966, Western) (CC) |  |  |  |
| TLC | Clean Sweep |  | In a Fix 847533 |  | What Not to Wear |  | What Not to Wear |  | 10 Years | 10 Years | What Not | Wear |
| TNT | Charmed 606556 |  | Law \& Order |  | Law \& Order |  | Law \& Order |  | Law \& Order |  | Without a Trace |  |
| TOON | Totally | Totally | Billy | Ed, Ed | Grandma |  | Code | Much | Titans | Static | Futurama | Fam. Guy |
| TRAV | World's Best |  | World's Best |  | Dreaming Big |  | Homes | Homes | Vacation | Vacation | Dreamin |  |
| TVL | All/Family | All/Family | All/Family | All/Family | Munsters | G. Acres | Griffith | Beaver | Sanford | All/Family | 3's Co. | 3's Co. |
| USA | (5:00) Monk 166827 |  | The Biggest Loser |  | Law \& Order: SVU |  | « ${ }^{\text {"Collateral Damage" (2002, Action) (CC) } 273198}$ |  |  |  |  | "Order" |
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| WE | (5:00) "Footloose" |  | Boston Public (CC) |  | "Get to Heart: Barbara Mandrell Story" |  |  |  | « $\star$ "Freak City" (1999) Samantha Mathis. |  |  |  |
| WGN | Home | Will | Will | Home | "March of the Wooden Soldiers" 818339 |  |  |  | - News (CC) 897846 |  | Becker | Becker |
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MOVIE CHANNELS

| HB | (6:1) | 372 | * $\star \star$ "The Last Samurai" (2003) Tom Cruise. (S) (CC) 87171420 |  |  |  |  | Carnivale 9608730 |
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| HBO2 | Catch Me if You Can | $\star \star$ "French Kiss" (1995) (CC) 4586001 |  | The Sopranos |  | The Wire 8381933 |  | Rich Man's Wife |
| MAX | *ᄎ* "Patriot Games" (1992) (CC) 579240 |  | ** "Torque" (2004) 943198 Fuel/Fire |  |  | ** "Two Weeks Notice" (2002) 8437469 |  |  |
| MMAX | Deliver ... $\quad \star \star \star \star$ " | * ** "The Matrix" (1999) Keanu Reeves. 1021952 |  | ** "From Dusk Till Dawn" (CC) 6860846 |  |  |  | Hotel Erotica 3 |
| SHOW | (5:45) ** "Die Another Day" 97726204 |  | \\| * "Houseguest" (1994) Sinbad. 283933 |  |  | "Martin Lawrence Live" 8743827 |  |  |
| SHOW2 | 3 Ninjas Kick Back | (7:15) $\star \star$ "Triggermen" | (2002) 53320575 | HUFF | 4577391 | Que |  | Queer as Folk |
| TMC | (5:45) $\star \star \star$ "The Karate Kid" (1984, Action) |  | * $\star_{\text {"Bugsy" ( }}$ (1991, Biography) Warren Beatty. (CC) |  |  |  |  | et Letter" (1995) |
| InD1 | - Japanese Hardcore Wrestling VI 4276020 |  | Gram Parsons Tribute |  | Stag: Uncensored |  | Class | estling 2873317 |
| InD3 |  | Sunset" (2004) | „ᄎᄎ "Elf" (2003, Comedy) Will Ferrell. (CC) |  |  | * * "Van Helsing" (2004) Hugh Jackman. |  |  |

## MONDAY'S BEST

9 p.m. on | 2 |
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## EVERWOOD

After Delia (Vivien Cardone) finds a very personal item belonging to Nina (Stephanie Niznik), Andy (Treat Williams) mulls having a certain discussion with Delia sooner than he anticipated in "The Birds \& the Batteries." Ephram (Gregory Smith) struggles to compose a love letter to Amy (Emily VanCamp), who tries to bring popularity to Hannah (Sarah Drew).

## 9 p.m. on LIFE MOVIE: THE ANGEL DOLL

You wouldn't expect a sentimental Christmas tearjerker to play well on the
film-festival circuit, but this 2000 drama was a hit at the Asheville and Southern Exposure festivals. Set in the South of the 1950s, it's the story of a boy (Michael Welch, "Joan of Arcadia") who learns lots of lessons about giving, receiving, caring and community from a less fortunate friend (Cody Newton).

## 9:30 p.m. on 257 <br> TWO AND A HALF MEN

Charlie (Charlie Sheen) gets friendly - very friendly - with Jake's (Angus T. Jones) teacher in an effort to keep him from being suspended. When Jake finds out, however, he doesn't want
to go to school. So Charlie breaks it off, but she's not happy about that and takes her ill will out on both him and Jake. Kiersten Warren guest stars in "A Bag Full of Jawea."

## 10 p.m. on 254 CSI: MIAMI

A mob scene at a golf course temporarily cloaks the body of a slain highschool student in "Murder in a Flash." Horatio (David Caruso) and his team trace the messages that prompted the mass gathering back to a lawyer's offspring, but another student eventually falls under suspicion. Jack Coleman ("Dynasty"), Kate Mara ("Random Hearts") and

Cristian de la Fuente ("Family Law") guest star.

## 10 p.m. on 9112 <br> LAS VEGAS

Alec Baldwin guest stars in "Degas Away With It" as Jack Keller, Ed's (James Caan) less-than-honest former partner, whom Ed encounters while investigating the theft of a valuable work of art from the Montecito. Danny and Mike (Josh Duhamel, James Lesure) are caught in the crossfire of a lovers' quarrel, while Sam's (Vanessa Marcil) efforts to set up a special weekend for another couple backfire.

MONDAY LATE NIGHT / December 20
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BROADCAST CHANNELS

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## CABLE CHANNELS



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TBS Seinteld (12:25) ** "Demolition Man" 5760063 $\qquad$ (D:25) ***The Running Man" 6608792
(4:25) "Demolition Man"
TCM $\quad \star \star \star$ "The Naked Spur" (1953, Western)
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MOVIE CHANNELS

| HBO | (11:55) $\star \star$ * "Face/Off" | 97) 95706952 | Autopsy/Complex Cases |  | (3:20) *** "Boogie Nights" (1997, Drama) 89322137 |  |  |
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| HBO2 | Rich Man' Wife | [12:45) "The Dancer U | stairs" 47383228 | C. Rock | ** "L | Liza" (C) 5773518 | RRebels of Oak |
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## TUESDAY'S BEST


"My Wife and Kids"

## 7 p.m. on SCIFI UFO INVASION AT RENDLESHAM

Roswell, N.M., is famous for alleged UFO sightings in the United States, but England has its own version of such a situation. In this special, host Bryant Gumbel details strange happenings alleged to have taken place near a U.S. military base in Great Britain in 1980. The British government's recent confession of a cover-up lends credence to the matter. Many witnesses recount what they believe they saw.

7 p.m. on SPIKE

## CSI: CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION

A horse trainer dies in a bizarre way - apparently trampled by her animal
aboard a private jet 30,000 feet above the ground - in "Forever." Grissom and Catherine (William Petersen, Marg Helgenberger) become suspicious of several other passengers, but the crucial evidence could be yielded by the horse after it dies. Warrick and Sara (Gary Dourdan, Jorja Fox) probe a supposed double suicide.

## 7 p.m. on TCM

## BARBARA STANWYCK:

 FIRE AND DESIREShe was equally at home in melodrama ("Stella Dallas"), comedy ("The Lady Eve"), crime tales ("Double Indemnity") and Westerns ("Union Pacific"), and she aged beautifully, gracefully making the transition from big-screen glamour girl to
small-screen matriarch ("The Big Valley," "The Thorn Birds"). Sally Field narrates this 1991 profile of the great Barbara Stanwyck, which, of course, contains plenty of clips from her long career.

## 7 p.m. on TNT LAW \& ORDER

In "Panic," a best-selling author (guest star Ruthie Henshall) blames an obsessed fan for the street shooting that wounded her and killed another. Briscoe and Green (Jerry Orbach, Jesse L. Martin) suspect a love triangle. But as McCoy and Carmichael (Sam Waterston, Angie Harmon) discover as they prepare to prosecute the case, the answer may be "none of the above." Tom Berenger ("Platoon," "Major League") also guest stars.

## 7:30 p.m. on TBS EVERYBODY LOVES RAYMOND

In "Fighting In-Laws," Ray (Ray Romano) overhears Debra's (Patricia Heaton) parents, Warren and Lois (Robert Culp, Katherine Helmond), having a heated argument while the family is gathered for Thanksgiving. He tells Debra what he heard, and she's shocked, having always assumed her folks had a much less combative relationship than, say, Frank and Marie (Peter Boyle, Doris Roberts). By dinnertime, though, she'll see for herself. Brad Garrett also stars.

## 8 p.m. on 4

## MY WIFE AND KIDS

Ever expect to see Wayne Newton and the Rev. Al Sharpton on the same show? They're guest stars along with sports legend Michael Jordan - in the two-part story "Fantasy Camp." Michael (Damon Wayans) gets a very special trip as a gift from Jay (Tisha Campbell-Martin) to the Las Vegas basketball camp run by Jordan. The rest of the family goes along, too. Part 2 airs Dec. 28.

## 8 p.m. on $911(2$ THE BIGGEST LOSER

The new episode "A Look Back Special" showcases some funny stuff from the series' first eight episodes. The hour includes bloopers, previously unaired
footage of departing contestants' exit interviews, and diet cheaters caught on tape. Caroline Rhea hosts.

## 8 p.m. on 138 NOVA

Einstein had his ideas, but there may be an even larger theory explaining absolutely everything that happens in the world. Columbia University physics and mathematics professor Brian Greene seeks that rationale in the two-hour "The Elegant Universe." Many of his theories sound right out of "Star Trek," involving hidden dimensions and rips in the fabric of space, but those are merely the beginning.

## 8 p.m. on ${ }^{2}$ <br> GILMORE GIRLS

Lorelai and Luke's (Lauren Graham, Scott Patterson) romance becomes generally known - although no one seems to care all that much about it at first - in "Written in the Stars." Rory (Alexis Bledel) clashes with a wealthy student (guest star Matt Czuchry) who treated her friend (guest star Wayne Wilcox) rudely. Paris (Liza Weil) stages a wake for her late love Asher.

## 8:30 p.m. on 4 GEORGE LOPEZ

Some serious matters fuel "George Searches for a Needle in a Haight-Stack." George and Vic (George Lopez, Emiliano Diez) comb the Haight-Ashbury district for runaway Carmen (Masiela Lusha) - and find her tailing rap star Chingy (who guest stars as himself) as a groupie. Comedian Carrot Top also guest stars in dream sequences.

## 9 p.m. on 57 THE 27TH ANNUAL KENNEDY CENTER HONORS

Caroline Kennedy hosts this annual event honoring top artists with one of the nation's most prestigious performing-arts prizes. This year's recipients are actor Warren Beatty, opera singer Joan Sutherland, pop icon Elton John, hus-band-and-wife actors Ossie Davis and Ruby Dee, and composer John Williams. The ceremony includes tributes to the honorees by a variety of stars.

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## TUESDAY'S BEST <br> 9 p.m. on 9 (1) FATHER OF THE PRIDE

Larry (voice of John Goodman) milks a bad landing for all it's worth so he can catch up on his rest in the new episode "Rehabilitation." But Sarmoti's (voice of Carl Reiner) complaining is making it difficult for him to relax, until he slips the older lion a drugged meatball. Garry Marshall guest stars as the voice of Bernie, a white lion who idolizes Sarmoti.

## 9:30 p.m. on 4 RODNEY

Rodney Carrington found success as a stand-up comedian, but his fictionalized alter ego throws just about everything away in
pursuit of getting laughs in this sitcom. Rodney Hamilton (Carrington) lives for the nights when he can perform in comedy clubs, and just marks time by day in a succession of jobs he can't stand. Jennifer Aspen ("Party of Five") plays his wife; Amy Pietz ("Caroline in the City") also stars.

## 9:30 p.m. on 9 (12) SCRUBS

An attitude change for the worse makes new chief resident J.D. (Zach Braff) unappealing to his hospital co-workers - particularly Turk (Donald Faison) - in "My New Game." J.D.'s relationship with Elliot (Sarah Chalke) also suffers over his new position. Dr. Cox
and Jordan (John C. McGinley, Christa Miller Lawrence) are stunned to learn they aren't officially divorced after all. Heather Graham guest stars.

## 10 p.m. on 4 NYPD BLUE

Monogamy equals monotony - and murder - for the men under police scrutiny in the new episode "I Love My Wives but Oh You Kid." Ortiz and Murphy (Jacqueline Obradors, Bonnie Somerville) investigate when the lover of a man with two wives turns up dead. Sipowicz and Clark (Dennis Franz, Mark-Paul Gosselaar) try to solve the murder of a prostitute-
turned-kept woman whose keeper is also married.

## 10 p.m. on 911 (1) <br> LAW \& ORDER: SPECIAL VICTIMS UNIT

Lea Thompson guest stars in "Birthright," playing the woman behind the attempted Central Park abduction of a girl (guest star Abigail Breslin, "Raising Helen") who she claims is her daughter. As Benson and Stabler (Mariska Hargitay, Christopher Meloni) try to determine the truth, their investigation leads them to a fertility doctor. Tamara Tunie also guest stars.



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| TMC |  |  |  |  | * *Flatliners" (1990) Kiefer Sutherland. |  |  |  | « « "Candyman" (1992) Virginia Madsen. |  |  |  |
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| InD3 | "Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind" |  |  |  | « ${ }^{\text {a }}$ "White Chicks" (2004) Shawn Wayans. |  |  |  | *ᄎ $\star$ "Before Sunset" (2004) |  |  | Van ... |

## Dennis Miller seeking laughs, not approval

By Kate O'Hare © Zap2it

Dennis Miller doesn't want to change your opinion of him on his self-titled CNBC talk show. If that happens, fine, but all he really wants is to hear you laugh.
'Contentious is good for television,' he says, 'but I try to be funny. God, I listen to some of these comedians who are politically oriented, mostly to the left, and they don't want to be funny. I want to be funny. l'd rather be funny than wise.'

If you laugh but still think the pro-George W. Bush Miller is a right-wing nut case, that's also fine.
'People can think what-
ever they want about me; that's their business,' he says. 'It matters not a whit to me. I just smile and keep moving through life.
'I think if you're in your 50s - I'm 51 now - and you're still trying to shoot your beliefs through the prism of strangers, you're an asshole. What are you going to do, call people up, ask friends in Hollywood what you should believe?'
'Dennis Miller,' which airs weeknights for an hour, premiered in January and had a rocky start creatively, resulting in a quick hiatus for retooling by Miller and senior producer Eddie Feldmann. A studio audience came in, and chimp Mowgli
was relegated largely to taped comedy bits. More correspondents and writers were added, and the quality of guests was improved.

While the audience for HBO's weekly 'Real Time With Bill Maher' shows up for Friday-night tapings at CBS Television City ready to rumble, the audience for Miller's show - which tapes afternoons at NBC in Burbank, Calif. - seems friendlier and mellower.

At a recent taping, when Miller apologized to the crowd for being a bit off his game, an audience member yelled, 'We got your back!'

All this hard work resulted in the show being renewed through 2005.
'One of the biggest things is to have a real mixture of people,' Feldmann says. 'One of Dennis' strengths is he can talk to a comic, go to a topical guest, go to a political guest, do a chef segment, and also on The Varsity debate panel, talk with some real heavy hitters in the commentary department.
'It's almost like a comedy Newsweek each day.'

Of course, having a politically oriented host - especially an outspoken supporter of President Bush - during an incredibly overheated election season didn't hurt.
'It was a good time (for us to be on),' says Feldmann.

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## Escape Claus: alternatives to all that holiday programming

## By Beverly Foster Seinberg © Zap2it

The networks and cable channels are finally starting to get it: Many, if not most folks who are watching television over Christmas would just as soon not be reminded what day it is.

Sure, there are exceptions - families who make midnight Mass from the Vatican, the Walt Disney World parade on Christmas morning, an installment of TBS' 'A Christmas Story' marathon or NBC's Christmas night screening of 'It's a Wonderful Life' part of their holiday rituals.

There are others, however, for whom Dec. 25 is just another day. Some celebrate Hanukkah. Some are working that day and having their Christmas on the 23rd, or the 26th. Others are alone for the day and find all those reminders of family and togetherness depressing.

A few years ago, these folks couldn't turn on the television on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day without some cheery holiday programming in their faces. Fortunately, that's changed, as more channels are offering an alternative to recycled Christmas episodes, movies and specials over the holiday.

As a service to those who don't celebrate Christmas - as well as those who do but have had their fill of small-screen Santas and Scrooges for the season here is a partial guide to what's on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 24 and 25, that has nothing to do with the C word. Be warned, however, that you'll have to sit through the occasional 'Merry Christmas from Channel $\mathrm{X}^{\prime}$ greeting and, if you're watching a channel with commercials, lots of ads for postholiday sales.

## 'MATRIX' MINI-

 MARATHON, Cinemax, Friday. The cable channel airs the 1999 science-fiction hit in the afternoon, followed by its two sequels, 'The Matrix Reloaded' and 'The Matrix Revolutions' in prime time.'THE ADVENTURES OF ROCKY AND BULLWINKLE,' Fox, Friday. It's no 'Who Framed Roger Rabbit,'
but fans of the cartoon squirrel and moose will enjoy this 2000 big-screen revival, which combines live action and animation. The two friends from Frostbite Falls are brought into the nontoon universe to foil a plot by Boris, Natasha and Fearless Leader (Jason Alexander, Rene Russo, Robert De Niro) to turn us all into zombies by flooding the airwaves with really bad television. Wait, hasn't that already happened?

JAMES BOND MARATHON, Spike TV, starting Friday. Not a true marathon, because the Bondage is interrupted Saturday morning for a few infomercials, extreme-sports shows and episodes of some of the channel's carand truck-related series. The 007 lineup includes 'Live and Let Die,' 'The Spy Who Loved Me,' 'Thunderball, 'You Only Live Twice,' 'Diamonds Are Forever' and 'Never Say Never Again' on Friday, with 'The Living Daylights,' 'Licence to Kill' and 'The World Is Not Enough' airing Saturday.
'OVERHAULIN' , and 'TRADING SPACES' MARATHONS, The Learning Channel. Friday, catch
nine hours of the makeover show for motor vehicles. Saturday, Paige Davis hosts 15 hours of the hit renovation reality series, including the two-hour '100 Grand' episode, a behind-thescenes special, a 'best of 2004' installment, and an hour of bloopers and outtakes.

KID FLICK MARATHON, Showtime, Saturday. For young Hanukkah celebrants and other tots who don't spend Christmas morning opening presents. The fun begins early in the morning with 'Spy Kids 2: The Island of Lost Dreams,' followed by ‘Charlotte's Web 2: Wilbur's Great Adventure,' 'Madeline,' 'Hey Arnold! The Movie' and 'The Wild Thornberrys Movie.'
'THE MISTS OF AVALON,' 'EVER AFTER,' 'FIRST KNIGHT,' TNT, Saturday. A minimarathon of fairy-tale flicks opens with 2001's made-for-TV take on the King Arthur legend from a female perspective. Anjelica Huston and Julianna Margulies star. Then a luminous Drew Barrymore portrays a Cinderella with feminist sensibilities in 1998's 'Ever After,' also co-starring Huston. Finally, 1995's 'First Knight'
retells the Camelot tale with Sean Connery, Richard Gere and Julia Ormond as Arthur, Lancelot and Guinevere, respectively.
'WELCOME TO MOOSEPORT,' HBO, Saturday. The underappreciated Gene Hackman-Ray Romano comedy from last winter makes its pay-cable debut. Hackman stars as a former U.S. president who runs for mayor of his Maine hometown and is opposed by a local plumber (Romano).
'THE SOUND OF MUSIC,' ABC, Saturday. No, really. This 1965 musical may have become a Christmas TV tradition, but the closest thing to anything Christmasy in it is a couple of passing references to snowflakes and packages in the song 'My Favorite Things.' Julie Andrews and Christopher Plummer star in the fact-based story of the Trapp Family Singers.

Don't want to be reminded it's Christmas? 'Trading Spaces' host Paige Davis takes your mind off the holiday with a 15-hour marathon of the hit reality show Saturday on The Learning Channel.


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| AMC | (5:00) "Longest Yard" 141990 |  | \| $\star$ * "The Blues Brothers" (1980) 'R' 162483 |  |  |  |  | FilmFakers 953700 | "Blues Brothers" |
| ANPL | Crocodile Hunter | The Most Extreme |  | Jeff Corwin |  | Animal Face-Off |  | Animal Cops Detroit | Jeff Corwin |
| BET | 106 \& Park: BET's Top 10 Live |  | Access | Parkers | Girlfriend | Coming to | the Stage | Club Comic View | -News \|Music |
| BRAVO | (4:00) "Silverado" | The West Wing |  | Project Runway |  | Project Runway |  | Project Runway | The West Wing |
| CMTV | (1:00) CMT Music | 100 Greatest Songs |  | 100 Greatest Songs |  | 100 Greatest Songs |  | 100 Greatest Songs | Songs of Country |
| CNBC | Bullseye (CC) | Late Night Conan |  | Big Idea: Deutsch |  | Dennis Miller |  | McEnroe | Big Idea: Deutsch |
| CNN | Lou Dobbs Tonight | Anderson Cooper |  | Paula Zahn Now |  | -Larry King Live |  | NewsNight/Brown | Lou Dobbs Tonight |
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| CSN | ( $5: 00$ ) Col. Football | -Woodie's | -Sports | - SportsCentury (CC) |  | -Magi//Memories |  | - College Football ( N ) | $\Delta$ SportsCentury (CC) |
| DISC | Monster Nation | American Chopper |  | The Ice Hotel |  | MythBusters |  | World Biker Build | The Ice Hotel |
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## WEDNESDAY'S BEST <br> 8 p.m. on 257 <br> A HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS 2004

Actor Jamie Foxx hosts this year's edition of the special with a cause: finding homes for children. As usual, musical performances are interspersed with stories from and about adoptive families and children waiting for them. The musical lineup includes Train, Black Eyed Peas, Rod Stewart, Chaka Khan, Ashlee Simpson and Kenny G. Actors Rene Russo, Jamie Lee Curtis and Bruce Willis also appear.

## 8 p.m. on 4 LOST

A nighttime raid by the island's other inhabitants terrifies the plane-crash sur-
vivors in "Walkabout," written by "Buffy the Vampire Slayer" veteran David Fury. Locke (Terry O'Quinn) reveals more than intended while seeking food with Kate and Michael (Evangeline Lilly, Harold Perrineau). Jack (Matthew Fox) alarms others with his idea for what to do with the bodies of deceased fellow passengers.

## 8 p.m. on 9116 WILL \& GRACE

In "Queens for a Day," Will (Eric McCormack) offers to make Thanksgiving dinner after an injury sidelines Vince's (Bobby Cannavale) mom, but it turns out to be a thankless job. Vince's sister (guest star Jamie-Lynn DiScala, "The Sopranos")
has a secret, and Jack (Sean Hayes) gives her some advice on how to keep it.

## 8 p.m. on $\mathbb{C B}_{36}(2)$ CHRISTMAS WITH THE MORMON TABERNACLE CHOIR

Santa, Rudolph, Frosty et al. have their place, but sometimes we want to hear some carols. This new concert special has plenty, as mezzo-soprano Frederica von Stade and baritone Bryn Terfel join America's most famous church choir for an hour of traditional favorites. There are secular songs, too, as well as holiday classics from around the world. Terfel does a reading of the Christmas
story from the book of Luke.

## 8 p.m. on ${ }^{2}$ SMALLVILLE

Clark (Tom Welling) lands a position on his school's football team in "Devoted." He gets to exercise his athletic side as starting quarterback after his predecessor feuds with team coach Jason (Jensen Ackles). But something seems a little off, and after investigating, Clark and Lois (Erica Durance) discover the cheerleaders tainting the team's water with kryptonite.

## 8 p.m. on A\&E

AMERICAN JUSTICE
"Accused in Appalachia" recalls the 1993 shooting death of Dennis Pease. His


## WEDNESDAY'S BEST

 wife, Merry, told authorities that she'd shot her husband in self-defense after he shot her. Police reached a different conclusion: that she killed him and then shot herself to make it look as if he'd started it. Merry Pease maintained her innocence for a decade and was in and out of jail several times before going behind bars for good earlier this year.
## 9 p.m. on 4

## LOST

A sleep-deprived Jack (Matthew Fox) has flashbacks that involve his mother (guest star Veronica Hamel, "Hill Street Blues") in "White Rabbit." A riptide threatens Boone's (Ian Somerhalder) life. The
group's last bottles of water vanish, causing suspicion and accusations. John Terry ("ER") also guest stars.

## 9 p.m. on 9 (1)

## THE WEST WING

Christmas gives the president (Martin Sheen) mixed emotions in "Abu el Banat." Happy to be visited by his daughters (guest stars Elisabeth Moss, Nina Siemaszko and Annabeth Gish), he worries about relief workers imprisoned in northern Sudan. He also learns of his son-in-law's (guest star Steven Eckholdt) political plans. Toby and Will (Richard Schiff, Joshua Malina) clash on the assisted-suicide issue.

## 9 p.m. on DISC MYTHBUSTERS

They made a list and you checked it twice. Now you'll get what you asked for, because you're so nice. In this new "Holiday Special" edition of the popular reality series, hosts Adam Savage and Jamie Hyndeman revisit the urban legends most requested by viewers via an online poll. And since it's that time of year, they just might look at a few holiday-themed legends as well.

## 10 p.m. on 254 CSI: NY

There are 70 million rats in New York City, and Mac and Aiden (Gary Sinise, Vanessa Ferlito) need to find one of them - the one
that bit a murdered drug dealer and might have swallowed the bullet. Stella (Melina Kanakaredes) has an equally frustrating case: a rape in Central Park that left the victim with no memory of the attack. Carmine Giovinazzo and Hill Harper also star in "Creatures of the Night."

## 10 p.m. on 9 (12 <br> LAW \& ORDER

Jerry Orbach, the cast member who was with this show the longest, prepared to move on in "C.O.D." Briscoe (Orbach) tackles his last case with Green (Jesse L. Martin) - who is stunned by his partner's unexpected decision - as they investigate the murder of a deliveryman.

WEDNESDAY LATE NIGHT / December 22

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| WTAE 4 | (12:05) J. Kimmel |  | (1:05) Starting Over |  | Paid Prg. | -News | $1(3: 05) ~ A B C$ | World | Now | News | -News (CC) 241526 |  |
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## CABLE CHANNELS

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| AMC | (11:00) "The Blues Brothers" |  |  | *ᄎ * "Hooper" (1978, Action) 'PG' 645014 |  |  |  | * ** "The Longest Yard" (1974, Comedy) 770656 |  |  |  |  |
| ANPL | Animal Face-Off |  | Animal Cops Detroit |  | The Most Extreme |  | Jeff Corwin |  | Animal Face-Off |  | Animal Cops Detroit |  |
| BET | Midnight Love |  | Club Comic View |  | BET Late 732781 |  | UnCut 176101 |  | BET Inspiration 225120 |  |  |  |
| BRAVO | Project Runway |  | Project Runway |  | Project Runway |  | Christmas Special |  | Entertainment/Biggest Things of 20 |  |  |  |
| CMTV | Songs of Country |  | CMT Music |  |  |  | Paid Programming |  |  |  |  |  |
| CNBC | Dennis Miller |  | McEnroe |  | Paid Programming |  |  |  | CNBC World |  | ake-Up | all (CC) |
| CNN | -Larry King Live |  | NewsNight/Brown |  | Paula Zahn Now |  | OLarry King Live |  | Lou Dobbs Tonight |  | NND |  |
| COM | Big Lebowski |  | South Pk | South Pk | USO Comedy Tour |  | USO Comedy Tour |  | Paid Programming |  |  |  |
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| CSN | UU.S. Poker Champ. |  | -Magic/Memories |  | - College Football |  | -Woodie's $\triangle$ Sports |  | -Magic/Memories |  | -College Football |  |
| DISC | MythBusters |  | World Biker Build |  | American Chopper |  | Paid Programming 328217 |  |  |  |  | Paid Prg. |
| DISN | Family | So Raven | Kim P. | Lizzie | Recess | Stitch | Stevens | Recess | Mouse | Mouse | Madeline | Pooh |
| E! | Saturday Night Live |  | Saturday Night Live |  | H. Stern $\quad$ H. Stern |  | Wild On ... 906439 |  | Paid Programming |  | Bloomberg |  |
| ESPN | -SportCtr. | - Outside | -SportsCenter |  |  |  | - College Football (CC) 834254 |  |  |  | - SportsCenter |  |
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| EWTN | Daily Mass |  | Cousins in Christ |  | Path of the Messiah |  |  | Mission | Music | Rosary | Holy Land Revealed |  |


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FLIX (11:45) *"Number One Fan" $\mid \star \star \star$ "Sunday, Bloody Sunday" (1971) $\quad \star \star$ "The Shout" (1978, Drama) $\quad$ "Toys in the Attic"
FOOD Emeril's Holidays $\quad$ Bob/Flay Food Good Eat Good Eat |ron Chef: Tiefish. $\quad$ Date $\quad$ Hunter Paid Programming

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| GOLF | $\Delta$ U.S. Open Golf | $\triangle$ What's in the Bag? | -Open Espana | - European PGA Golf |  |  | $\Delta$ Golifityle |
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| HGTV | Renovate Character | S. Chic Organize | Curb ... Curb ... | Paint Dream | Paid Programming |  |  |
| HIST | Modern Marvels | Full Throttle | Modern Marvels | Modern Marvels | Paid Programming 6442255 |  |  |
| HSN | Ultrex Year Review | Let's Cook! | Holiday Solution | Circuits | Holiday Seasonal Clearance |  |  |
| LIFE | Nanny Golden | Providence 532217 | Susan Paid Programming 525656 |  |  |  | Paid Prg. |
| MSNBC Countdown |  | The Abrams Report | Hardball Mathews | Scarborough Cty. | -Hardball Mathews | 1st Look | 1st Look |
| MTV | True Life 288859 | True Life 527385 | True Life 125781 | True Life 309897 | True Life 299192 | True Life 480120 |  |
| NICK | Fr. Prince ${ }^{\text {Fr }}$ Prince | Boss? Boss? | Rose. ${ }^{\text {Rose. }}$ | Fr. Prince Cosby | Wings Wings | Full H'se | Full H'se |
| QVC | Year End Clearance | Le Mirador | Harra's Jewelry | -Sports Clearance | Gold Jewelry | Prerogatives Jewel. |  |
| SCIFI | Ghost Hunters | Twi. Zone ${ }^{\text {Twi. Zone }}$ | Quantum Leap | ^ "Modern Vampires" (1998) 6153897 |  | Paid Programming |  |
| SPIKE | (9:00) "Godfather" | Date Date | Maximum Exposure | Paid Programming (S) 721439 |  |  |  |



## MOVIE CHANNELS



| ABC | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ©News } \\ & \text { (CC) } 304 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ABC } \\ & \text { News (CC) } \\ & 656 \end{aligned}$ | Inside Edition (CC) 4205 | Entertainment Tonight ( N ) | « $\star \star$ "The Santa Clause" (1994, Comedy) Tim Allen, Judge Reinhold. Adman takes over for fallen Santa. (S) 'PG' (CC) 6385 |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text {-PrimeTime Live (CC) } \\ & 8120 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ©News } \\ & \text { (CC) } \\ & 7047472 \end{aligned}$ | (11:35) Nightline (CC) |
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| NBC <br> WTOV $\mathbf{9}$ <br> WPXI ©1 <br> WBOY $\boldsymbol{1 2}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (9) }(11) \\ & \text { ONews } \\ & 4507 \text { (12) } \\ & 12 \text { News at } \\ & 67217 \end{aligned}$ | ONBC News 5859 | Jeopardy! <br> (N) 6168 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wheel (N) } \\ & 4743 \end{aligned}$ | Joey 2588 | Will \& Grace 4323 | Will \& Grace (CC) 56323 |  | ER (CC) 59410 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ONews } \\ & 4858323 \end{aligned}$ | (11:35) The Tonight Show With Jay Leno |
| FOX <br> WPGH 63 <br> WVFX 48 | (53) <br> Friends 88439 (46) <br> Seinfeld <br> 1716168 | (53) Frasier 62491 (46) Seinfeld 1790120 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Friends } \\ & \text { २2385 } \end{aligned}$ | (53) Seinfeld 68675 (46) That '70s Show 1796304 | The O.C.: The Distance. Kirsten's anxiety over Seth reaches the breaking point. (S) (CC) 78101 |  | (53) The O.C.: The Best Chrismukkah Ever. (S) (CC) 98965 (46) The O.C. (CC) 9203410 |  | (53) ©News 91052 (46) Fear Factor: Couples. Couples are chained to a plattorm. (S) (CC) 9213897 |  | (53) Sein- feld 69965 (46) Friends 8682743 | (53) Yes, Dear 95588 (46) Raymond 8334584 |
| PBS <br> WQED๔ <br> WNPB | (13) ©NewsHour (CC) 19708 (24) BBC News 22859 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (24) Busi- } \\ & \text { ness (N) } \\ & 46439 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (13) Busi- } \\ & \text { ness (N) } \\ & 9101 \text { (24) } \\ & \text { oNew- } \\ & \text { sHour (CC) } \\ & 43491 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { (13) On Q } \\ \text { Mag. } 1439 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (13) Happy } \\ & \text { Holidays } \\ & 87217 \text { (24) } \\ & \text { Drs. on Call } \\ & 99033 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (24) The } \\ & \text { Law Works } \\ & 18168 \end{aligned}$ | (13) Houses Around 90781 (24) Outlook 73930 | (24) Chris <br> liak <br> Christmas: <br> Favorites. <br> (CC) <br> 915410 | (13) Heart of the Holidays 77728 | (24) Sing! 33675 | (13) Tavis Smiley 61781 (24) Charlie Rose 89491 | (13) On Q Mag. 97304 |
| WBN WCWB² | The Simpsons (S) (CC) 20491 | Will \& Grace (S) (CC) 11743 | The Simpsons (S) (CC) 95217 | Will \& Grace (S) (CC) 40255 | * * "Crazy/Beautiful" (2001, Romance) Kirsten Dunst, Jay Hernandez. The daughter of a congressman falls in love with a Latino. (S) 'PG-13' (CC) 45859 |  |  |  | Fear Factor: Couples.$\text { (S) (CC) } 57694$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Blind Date } \\ & (\mathrm{N})(\mathrm{S}) \text { (CC) } \\ & 25507 \end{aligned}$ | Elimidate <br> (N) (CC) <br> 77168 |


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| A\&E | City Confidential | American Justice | Cold Case Files (CC) 45 | 9992 | The First 48409697 | Crossing Jordan |
| AMC | *** "Hooper" (1978, Action) 'PG' 430859 |  | *ᄎ* "Smokey and the Bandit" 435304 |  | * "Smokey and the Bandit ll" 701859 |  |
| ANPL | Crocodile Hunter | The Most Extreme | Funniest Animals | Pet Star | Animal Cops Detroit | Funniest Animals |
| BET |  |  | Parkers Girltriend | Soul Food 862120 | Club Comic View | - News ${ }^{\text {P }}$ BET Sty |
| BRAVO | Pacific Heights | The West Wing | Actor's Studio | Celebrity Poker Showdown (CC) 232965 |  | The West Wing |
| CMTV | Top 20 Countdown: Host Lance Smith. |  | CMT Music Stacked |  | Top 20 Countdown: Host Lance Smith. |  |
| CNBC | Bullseye (CC) | Late Night Conan | CNBC, Assignment | Dennis Miller | McEnroe | CNBC, Assignment |
| CNN | Lou Dobbs Tonight | Anderson Cooper | Paula Zahn Now | -Larry King Live | NewsNight/Brown | Lou Dobbs Tonight |
| COM | * "Say It Isn't So" (2001) Chris Klein. (CC) |  | CC) $\quad \star \star \star$ "Ferris Bueller's Day Off" (1986, Comedy) (CC) |  |  | ** "Orange County" |
| COURT | NYPD Blue (S) (CC) | Cops ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  | The Investigators | Justice Justice |
| CSN | (5:00) Col. Football | - The Making of 3 | "3" (2004, Biography) Barry Pepper. (CC) |  | -Cheap - $\triangle$ Cheap | - The Making of 3 |
| DISC | Monster Nation | No Opportunity | No Opportunity | Tiger Shark Attack | Great White Shark | No Opportunity |
| DISN | Stevens Lizzie | Sister ${ }^{\text {So Raven }}$ | Rodgers \& Hammerstei | n's ... ${ }^{\text {a }}$ So Raven | Lizzie ${ }^{\text {Sister }}$ | Stevens \|Boy ... |

## THURSDAY'S BEST

8 p.m. on 257

## NCIS

In "See No Evil," Gibbs (Mark Harmon) and his associates go after the kidnapped wife and daughter (guest stars Ely Pouget and Abigail Breslin) of a Navy captain (guest star David Keith, "An Officer and a Gentleman"). The abductor monitors the captain via webcam, giving Gibbs a huge challenge in his effort to foil the ransom scheme.

## 8 p.m. on 9 (1) JOEY

"Episode One" finds Joey (Matt LeBlanc) getting an unexpected roommate: his nephew Michael (Paulo Costanzo), who wants more independence from his mother (Drea de Mat-
teo). The guys hit the town so Joey can educate Michael about the opposite sex, and they learn something surprising about Joey's neighbor, Alex (Andrea Anders).

## 8 p.m. on 22 <br> MOVIE: CRAZY/ BEAUTIFUL

Kirsten Dunst took a step away from her typical roles in this 2001 drama, directed by actor John Stockwell ("Top Gun"). She plays the unpredictable daughter of a politician (Bruce Davison), and her free spirit attracts a much more conservative high-school peer (Jay Hernandez). He could end up being swayed from his promising future by his love for her.

## 8 p.m. on 4653 THE O.C.

As "Distance" begins, Seth (Adam Brody) still hasn't returned from his impromptu sailing excursion, driving Kirsten (Kelly Rowan) crazy. She asks Sandy (Peter Gallagher) to retrieve him. Summer (Rachel Bilson) isn't happy about Seth's absence, either, but she makes a related pact with Marissa (Mischa Barton) - whose own beau, Ryan (Benjamin McKenzie), also remains AWOL.

## 8 p.m. on DISC NO OPPORTUNITY WASTED

At first glance, it looks as if the Singing Nuns, a choir of Catholic sisters from Spokane, Wash., have al-
ready achieved their dream. They've toured extensively, recorded several compact discs and been on television. But what they really want is to put on a formal dinner and concert to thank all their supporters. In another segment, a stay-athome dad wants to break into stand-up comedy. Phil Keoghan hosts the new episode "Sister Act/Todd the Odd."

## 8:30 p.m. on 9 (1) WILL \& GRACE

Veteran music star Barry Manilow plays himself in "Fanilow." His upcoming concert inspires Will (Eric McCormack) to wait on line for tickets, but Mother Nature's call eventually prompts Will to ask Grace

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| ESPN | $\mathbf{\Delta}$ SportCtr. | $\Delta$ College Football (Live) (CC) 45767101 |  |
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| ESPNN2 | A Golf | $\Delta N F E$ Live | $\Delta$ College Basketball (Live) |

-(9:45) College Football (Live) 14473472

| ESPN2 | $\triangle$ Golf | $\triangle$ NFL Live | -College Basketball (Live) (CC) 2520615 |  |  |  | -College Basketball (Live) (CC) 5322033 |  |  |  | -SportsCenter |  |
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| EWTN | Candles and Carols |  | Daily Mass |  | Life on the Rock B'kstage Rosary <br> $\star \star \star \star$ "Prancer" (1989) Sam Elliott. 401472   |  |  |  | Christmas Flower |  | Magnum Mysterium |  |
| FAM | 7th Heaven 875033 |  | Jack Frost 421236 |  |  |  |  |  | Whose? | Whose? | The 700 Club |  |
| FLIX | (6:15) * "Pussycat, Pussycat, I Love You" |  |  |  | * * * "Toto the Hero" (1991) |  |  | (9:35) „ᄎ* "Born to Win" |  |  | (11:05) "Valentino" |  |
| FNC | -Special Report |  | Fox Report |  | -The O'Reilly Factor |  | OHannity \& Colmes |  | Greta Van Susteren |  | -The O'Reilly Factor |  |
| FOOD | 30-Min. | 30-Min. | Good Eat | Unwrap | Emeril Live |  | Christmas Festivals |  | Good Eat | Secret | Iron Chef: Egg. |  |
| FOXSP | AI, Max | -Sports | $\triangle$ Cowher | $\triangle$ Pitt. Spo. | - Best Damn Sports Show |  |  | $\triangle$ Spo List | -Pitt. Spo. | Al, Max | - Best Sp | orts Show |
| FX | Fear Factor (S) (CC) |  | King/Hill | King/Hill | King/Hill | King/Hill | King/Hill | King/Hill | King/Hill | King/Hill | Billionaire: Quest |  |
| GOLF | - Dubai Classic |  | $\triangle$ Golf | - Golf | - Big Break II |  | - Big Break II |  | $\triangle$ Jake | - Jake's | -World of Golf |  |
| HALL | Walker, Tex. Ranger |  | Walker, Tex. Ranger |  | Touched by Angel |  | "Angel in the Family" (2004) 2494762 |  |  |  | $\mathrm{M}^{*} \mathrm{~A}^{*} \mathrm{~S}^{*} \mathrm{H}$ | M***** |
| HGTV | Weekend | Lan. | Curb ... | House | Weekend | Lan. | D. Design | Design | House | House | Paint | Design |
| HIST | Saints Preserved! |  | History/Christmas |  | Seven Wonders of the World 9287472 |  |  |  | Modern Marvels |  | Ermey Christmas |  |
| HSN | (5:00) Jewelry |  | Ulitrex Year Review |  | Let's Cook! |  | Holiday Solution |  | HSN Garage |  | Ultrex Year Review |  |
| LIFE | Golden | Golden | * ${ }^{\text {"MMiss }}$ | ** "Miss Lettie and Me" (2002) 40 |  |  | ** "Holiday in Your Heart" (1997) 413217 |  |  |  | Nanny | Golden |
| MSNBC | The Abrams Report |  | -Hardba | Mathews | Countdow |  | Deborah | orville | Scarborough | Cty. | -Hardball Mathews |  |
| MTV | Punk'd | Punk'd | Punk'd | Punk'd | Punk'd | Punk'd | unk'd | Punk'd | Punk'd | Punk'd | Punk'd | Punk'd |
| NICK | Arnold! | Rugrats | Jimmy | Paren | Sponge. | Rkt Pr | Full H'se | Full H'se | Fr. Prince | Cosby | Rose. | Rose. |
| QVC | Now You're Cooking 4 |  |  |  | Quilt Rack 4420439 |  | Indigo Moon |  | Wacoal Foundations |  | Diamond Jewelry |  |
| SCIFI | Stargate SG-1 |  | *ᄎ ${ }^{\text {c "Child's Play" (1988, Horror) } 5072694}$ |  |  |  | "Puppet Master vs. Demonic ..." 1557149 |  |  |  | Retro Puppetmaster |  |
| SPIKE | Police Video |  | CSI: Crime Scene |  | CSI: Crime Scene |  | **** "The Godfather, Part Il" (1974, Drama) Al Pacino. 419323 |  |  |  |  |  |
| TBS | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Raymond | Raymond | Friends | Friends | Friends | Friends | (10:10) "Ame | merican Pres | dent" 21 |  |
| TCM | $\star \star$ "Knights of the Round Table" (1953) |  |  |  | «ᄎぇ "A Christmas Carol" (CC) |  |  | « $\star$ "The Man Who Came to Dinner" (CC) |  |  |  | Bishop's |
| TLC | Clean Sweep |  | In a Fix 429304 |  | Noah's Ark:True |  | Mummy Detective |  | Mummy Detective |  | Noah's Ark:True |  |
| TNT | Charmed 529025 |  | Law \& Order |  | - NBA Basketball (Live) (CC) 870675 |  |  |  |  | पNBA Basketball (Live) 891168 |  |  |
| TOON | Titans | Titans | Billy | Ed, Edd | Ed, Edd | Grinch | Code | Mucha | Titans | Static | Futurama | Fam. Guy |
| TRAV | Hidden Yellowstone |  | World's Best |  | Orient Express |  | Zion \& Bryce |  | Denali National Park |  | Orient Express |  |
| TVL | Sanford | Sanford | Sanford | Sanford | Munsters | G. Acres | Grifith | Beaver | Sanford | All/Family | 3's Co. | 3's Co. |
| USA | "12 Days of Christmas Eve" 616217 |  |  |  | Law \& Order: SVU |  | Law \& Order: SVU |  | Law \& Order: SVU |  | Law \& Order: Intent |  |
| VH1 | Greatest Weddings |  | Celebrity Weddings |  | Celebrity Breakups |  | Britney's Shocking |  | Angels Undercover |  | Celebrity Beefs |  |
| WE | (5:00) Safe Passage |  | Boston Public (CC) |  | « $\star$ « "Lucas" (1986) Corey Haim. 'PG-13' |  |  |  | * "Kill Me Later" (2001) Selma Blair. (CC) |  |  |  |
| WGN | Home | Will | Will | Home | "A Different Kind of Christmas" 220120 |  |  |  | -News (CC) 249255 |  | Becker | Becker |

## MOVIE CHANNELS HBO $\star \star \star$ "White Oleander" (2002) 438491

## $\Delta$ Inside the NFL

*** "Bull Durham" (1988) (CC) 449507
Real Sex Real Sex
HBO2 Liberty Stands Still $\mid \star \star$ "Chasing Liberty" (2004) 4424217
The Sopranos
The Sopranos "Breakdown"


MMAX (5:45) "Ghost in the Machine" $\quad \star \star$ "Good Advice" 1992385 $\quad \star \star$ "Single White Female" (CC) $6791762 \quad$ Stuck on You


| TMC | What's ... | (6:25) $\star \star \star \star$ "The Front" (1976) | *ᄎぇ "Mississippi Burning" (1988, Drama) | (10:15) „ * "Modern Romance" (1981) 'R' |
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InD3 $\star \star$ "The Prince \& Me" (2004) Julia Stiles. $\quad \star \star \star$ "Elf" (2003, Comedy) Will Ferrell. (CC) $\quad \star \star$ "White Chicks" (2004) Shawn Wayans.

THURSDAY'S BEST
(Debra Messing) to take his place. Grace is upset to learn her mother (guest star Debbie Reynolds) has foregone their usual Hanukkah shopping spree to dine with Karen and Jack (Megan Mullally, Sean Hayes).

## 9 p.m. on 254 CSI: CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION

When two women are found dead as the result of cosmetic procedures, Catherine and Nick (Marg Helgenberger, George Eads) pursue the plastic surgeon who administered anti-aging treatments to both victims in "Crow's Feet." Grissom, Sara and Greg (William Petersen, Jorja Fox, Eric Szmanda)
probe the death of a man whose body was found in his newly fumigated house.

## 9 p.m. on HBO

## MOVIE: BULL DURHAM

Writer-director Ron Shelton's ("White Men Can't Jump") 1988 comedy became one of the year's funniest, sexiest hits as well as cementing Kevin Costner's stardom. Costner portrays a minor-league catcher who finds major-league romance with a baseball groupie (Susan Sarandon). Tim Robbins also stars.

## 9 p.m. on SPIKE MOVIE: THE <br> GODFATHER, PART II

The second - and best - installment in Francis Ford Coppola's Oscar-winning
"Godfather" trilogy, based on Mario Puzo's novel, includes flashbacks to Vito Corleone's early days in 1920s New York. Robert De Niro won an Oscar for his role as the young don. Al Pacino returns as Michael Corleone, now running the family's criminal empire from Lake Tahoe, Nev.

## 10 p.m. on 254 <br> WITHOUT A TRACE

The kidnapping of a motivational speaker (guest star Jay Harrington) uncovers a wealth of dissatisfied patrons of his lessons in "Life Rules." Malone (Anthony LaPaglia) also learns of the missing man's prison background, indicating a double life that suggests he might have engineered his own
disappearance. Rick Hoffman ("Philly"), Megan Ward ("Dark Skies") and Leah Lail ("V.I.P.") also guest star.

## 10 p.m. on 9 (12

## ER

Dr. Carter (Noah Wyle) spends Christmas Eve in the Congo in "Makemba." He argues with, then falls for, an AIDS worker (guest star Thandie Newton, "Mission: Impossible 2") who has her own ideas about utilizing the limited resources of a medical clinic. Carter's French peers turn on him because of his Americanism, but he resolves to bring native youngsters some holiday cheer.

THURSDAY LATE NIGHT / December 23
Sound Investments Home Theater 296-4434

BROADCAST CHANNELS

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| WTAE 4 | (12:05) J. Ki | immel | (1:05) Starting Over |  | Paid Prg. | - News | (3:05) ABC | World New | Now | Nevs | - New | C) 788057 |
| WDTVG | Late Sh. | (12:35) | Late | Date | -(2:05) Up to the Minute (S) 48326163 |  |  |  |  |  | - | - News |
| WTRF 7 | Late Sh. | (12:35) Lat | e Late | Home | Frasier | Parkers | 70 s | - Upto | Minute | -Ne | - Nev | 5057 |
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| CABLE CHANNELS |  |  |
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| A\&E | Cold Case Files | 7836 |
| AMC | ****Smokey | Bandit" 127618 |
| ANPL | PetStar | Animal Cops Detroit |
| BET | Midnight Love | Club Comic View |


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| * "Smokey and the Banditl"' 882453 |  | *** "Smokey and the | Bandit" 921637 |
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| BET Late 202540 | UnCut 653250 | BET Inspiration 702279 |  |
| *** "Paciicic Heights | (1990) 'R' 757415 | "Messenger" 533786 |  |

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## MOVIE CHANNELS


HBO2 Breakdown|(12:35) "Just Married" $\mid$ (2:15) $\star \star \star$ "Face/Off" (1997, Action) (CC) 34130453 $\quad$ (4:40) "Dead Pool" 92690250

| MAX | Lessons in Love | $(12: 50) \star \star$ "Bad Boys I"" (2003, Action) 27265298 | Confess | $(3: 50) \star \star \star$ "Personal Best" 72149908 |
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| MMAX Stuck on You | "Pleasure Zone: Promiscuous" 6678163 | (2:50) "Executive Decision" 22638076 | (5:05) "The Gristle" |
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SHOW2 $\triangle$ Box- ing 18493897 (1:05) "The Last Picture Show" 11772569 $\mid(3: 15) \star \star$ "Last Rites" (1988) $84737569 \quad \mid$ "Reckless"
TMC $\quad \star \star$ "A Good Night to Die"" (2003, Action) $\quad$ (1:45) $\star \star$ "Dark Passion" (CC) $\quad$ ""llicit Lovers" (1999) (S) (CC) $\quad$ What's Cooking?

| InD1 | Classic Wrestling 8755095 | Amer/Calendar Girls | Gram Parsons Tribute |  |
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InD3 $\star \star \star$ "Mean Girir"" (2004) Lindsay Lohan. $\quad \star \star$ "Van Helsing" (2004, Fantasy) Hugh Jackman. $\quad \star \star \star$ "Before Sunset" (2004)

| ABC |  |  | Inside Edi- |  | America's FunniestHome Videos (S) (CC)2873 |  | « "I'll Be Home for Christmas" (1998, Comedy) Jonathan Taylor Thomas, Jessica Biel. Absurd obstacles hinder a student's trip home. (S) 'PG' 5960 |  |  |  |  |
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| WTAE 4 | (CC) 453 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { News (CC) } \\ & 705 \end{aligned}$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { tion (CC) } \\ & 7231 \end{aligned}\right.$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ment To- } \\ & \text { night (N) } \\ & 989 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | (CC) 7014144 | Nightline 2972618 |
| CBS <br> KDKA $\mathbf{2}$ <br> WDTV 5 <br> WTRF $\mathbf{7}$ | (2) ©News (CC) 30328 (5) (7) eNews 1973 | $\mid(5)(7)$ CCBS News 1705 | (2) $\operatorname{CCBS}$ <br> News 2163 <br> (5) (7) ET <br> (N) 5279 | The Insider <br> (N) 521 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Joan of Arcadia (CC) } \\ & 7705 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  | JAG: A Merry Little Christmas. Turner faces charges of racial bias. (S) (CC) 7569 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \text { Hours Mystery (CC) } \\ & 7328 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { News } \\ & 7029076 \end{aligned}$ | (2) (5) <br> Christmas <br> Eve (N) <br> 2561328 (7) <br> Moundsvill <br> e |
| NBC <br> WTOV $\mathbf{9}$ <br> WPXI <br> WBOY | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { (9) }(11) \\ \text { ONews } \\ 4811(12) \\ 12 \text { News at } \\ 67521 \end{array}$ | -NBC News 5163 | Jeopardy! <br> (N) 9637 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wheel (N) } \\ & 1347 \end{aligned}$ | « $\star$ "A Christmas Carol:The Musical" (2004, Musical) Kelsey Grammer, Jason Alexander. Three Christmas ghosts try to inject some genuine holiday spirit into Ebenezer Scrooge's miserly soul. (S) (CC) 62989 |  |  |  | Law \& Order: Criminal Intent (CC) 74724 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { News } \\ & 4825095 \end{aligned}$ | Christmas Eve at St. Peter's Basilica in Rome |
| FOX <br> WPGH 63 <br> WVFX 46 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { AFox NFL } \\ & \text { Postgame } \\ & 70415 \end{aligned}$ | (53) Frasier 94095 (46) Seinfeld 1767892 | Friends 78569 | (53) Sein- <br> feld 90279 <br> (46) That <br> '70s Show <br> 1763076 | $\star \star$ "The Adventures of Rocky and Bullwinkle" (2000, Comedy) Rene Russo, Jason Alexander. A flying squirrel and a moose confront their adversaries Boris and Natasha. Live action/animated. (S) 'PG' (CC) 11811 |  |  |  | (53) ©News 64778 (46) Fear Factor: Couples. Couples compete in a series of challenges. ( S ) (CC) 9280569 | (53) Sein- <br> feld 68231 <br> (46) <br> Friends <br> 8659415 | (53) Yes, <br> Dear 27182 <br> (46) Ray- <br> mond <br> 2639796 |
| PBS <br> WQED¢3 <br> WNPB 24 | $\begin{aligned} & (13) \text { New- } \\ & \text { sHour (CC) } \\ & 31182 \text { (24) } \\ & \text { BBC News } \\ & 54453 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & (24) \text { Busi- } \\ & \text { ness (N) } \\ & 45705 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (13) Busi- } \\ & \text { ness (N) } \\ & 3095 \text { (24) } \\ & \text { oNew- } \\ & \text { sHour (CC) } \\ & 59057 \end{aligned}$ | (13) Astorino: Pittsburgh's Architect at the Vatican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (13) On } \\ & \text { Stage } \\ & 72291 \text { (24) } \\ & \text { Wash. } \\ & \text { Week (N) } \\ & 38927 \end{aligned}$ | (24) Wall \$treet Week With FORTUNE (N) 17434 | (13) A Musical Christmas From the Vatican (CC) 99057 (24) NOW With Bill Moyers (CC) 88569 |  | (13) Make a Joyful Noise 92144 (24) Joy to the World 58328 | (13) Live From Studio A 46163 (24) Charlie Rose (CC) 98237 |  |
| WBN WCWB飞2 | The Simpsons (S) (CC) 36057 | Will \& Grace (S) (CC) 50637 | The Simpsons (S) (CC) 27811 | Will \& Grace (S) (CC) 49521 | What I Like About You 45601 | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Grounded } \\ \text { for Life (S) } \\ \text { (CC) २2366 } \end{array}$ | Reba (S) Blue Collar <br> (CC) 29328 TV (S) (CC) <br>  90453 |  | Fear Factor: Couples. <br> (S) (CC) 56960 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Blind Date } \\ & (N) \text { (S) (CC) } \\ & 24873 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { Elimidate } \\ \text { (CC) } 83724 \end{array}$ |


| CABLE CHANNELS |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| A\&E | City Confidential | American Justice | Airline Airline | Airline Airline | Airline (CC) 535328 | Airline Airline |
| AMC | "Miracle on 34th Street (Color)" 917908 |  | "Miracle on 34th Street (Color)" 912453 |  | "Miracle on 34th Street (Color)" 295298 |  |
| ANPL | Crocodile Hunter | The Most Extreme | Venom ER (CC) | Animal Cops Detroit | Animal Cops Detroit | Venom ER (CC) |
| BET | 106 \& Park: Christmas Ep ${ }^{\text {a }}$ \| ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ A |  | s'04885057 |  | Club Comic View | $\bigcirc$ News ${ }^{\text {- Sports }}$ |
| BRAVO | (3:00) "Gandhi" | Actor's Studio <br> Let It Be Christmas | *ᄎ * "Dirty Dancing" (1987) (CC) 3340618 |  | (10:15) *** "Dirty Dancing" 67905366 |  |
| CMTV | (4:30) Top 20 |  | « ${ }^{\text {a }}$ "Secret of Giving" ( 1999, Drama) 'PG' |  | 2004 Flameworthy Awards |  |
| CNBC | Bullseye ${ }^{\text {Rukeyser }}$ | Late Night Conan | CNBC, Assignment | Dennis Miller | Big Idea: Deutsch | CNBC, Assignment |
| CNN | Lou Dobbs Tonight | CNN Presents | Paula Zahn Now | -Larry King Live | NewsNight/Brown | Lou Dobbs Tonight |
| COM | MAD TV (S) (CC) | MAD TV (S) (CC) | MADTV (S) (CC) | ** "Orange County" (2002) Colin Hanks. |  | South Pk South Pk <br> The Investigators |
| COURT | Clues Clues | Cops ${ }^{\text {cops }}$ | The Investigators | Forensic Forensic | Forensic ${ }^{\text {D }}$ Detective |  |
| CSN | $\triangle(5: 00)$ NBA (CC) | World Biker Build | $\triangle$ Sports ${ }^{\text {a }}$ NBA: | Monster Garage | $\triangle$ Sports | $\triangle$ NBA (CC) |
| DISC | World Biker Build |  | Monster House |  | American Chopper | Monster House |
| DISN | Bracefce Lizzie | Sister ${ }^{\text {So Raven }}$ | $\star \star$ "Twas the Night" (2001) (CC) 705811 |  | Lizzie Sister | Bracefce ${ }^{\text {Boy ... }}$ |

## FRIDAY'S BEST <br> 8 p.m. on ${ }^{13}$

## on Stage at the

 KENNEDY CENTER: A HOLIDAY CONCERT FOR THE TROOPS WITH MARVIN HAMLISCHOscar-winning composerarranger Hamlisch conducts the National Symphony Orchestra Pops in a program of seasonal selections. The bill includes "White Christmas," "Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town" and "O Holy Night." The hour also features a salute, produced in association with the USO, to U.S. troops overseas during the holidays.

8 p.m. on 23

## WHAT ILIKE

ABOUT YOU
As Val's (Jennie Garth) wedding gets closer, Holly
(Amanda Bynes) starts thinking about a gift in "Split Ends." Needing money for the purchase, Holly goes in search of a job. When she can't find adequate employment, she enters a contest to be the new model for a shampoo manufacturer and finds Tina (Allison Munn) is one of her rivals. Val mulls whether Rick (guest star Ed Kerr) is really ready for marriage.

> 8 p.m. on 4663 MOVIE:THE ADVENTURES OF ROCKY AND BULLWINKLE

Look, Boris, is moose and squirre!! The cartoon duo from Frostbite Falls comes out of retirement and into the unanimated world to foil
the latest evil scheme from Boris, Natasha and their Fearless Leader (Jason Alexander, Rene Russo, Robert De Niro). This 2000 part-animated, part-live comedy boasts an amazing array of stars in cameo and supporting roles.

## 9 p.m. on 254 JAG

Turner (Scott Lawrence) is accused of costing the Navy some important intelligence because of racial bias. Harm (David James Elliott) gets the job of defending him, while in the meantime working on a legal matter of his own: petitioning for custody of Mattie Grace (Hallee Hirsh). Coates (Zoe McLellan) tries to engineer some holiday
magic for Chegwidden and Sims (John M. Jackson, Karri Turner) in "A Merry Little Christmas."

## 9 p.m. on 4

## MOVIE: l'LL BE HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

The title of this 1998 Disney comedy indicates where the college student played by Jonathan Taylor Thomas ("Home Improvement") hopes he'll be, anyway. He'll get a flashy car from his father if he makes it home in time for the holiday. Campus pranksters have something else in mind for him, and he ends up stranded far from where the home fires are burning. Jessica Biel ("7th Heaven") co-stars as his girlfriend.

| P．M． | 6：00 | 6：30 | 7：00 | 7：30 | 8：00 | 8：30 | 9：00 | 9：30 | 10：00 | 10：30 | 11：00 | 11：30 |
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| ESPN | －SportsCenter |  | －College Football（Live）（CC） 630502 |  |  |  |  |  |  | －SportsCe | nter | －Outside |
| ESPN2 | （5：00）＂3＂ 1025786 |  | －NFL Live | －NFL | ＂3＂（2004）Barry Pepper．（CC） 5390434 |  |  |  | ＂3＂（2004）Barry Pepper．（CC）२274892 |  |  |  |
| EWTN | Solemn Mass at Midnight |  |  |  | The World Over |  | Living | Rosary | Choral | Solemn Mas | s of Chris | Eve |
| FAM | 7th Heaven 336144 |  | Frosty＇s | Xmas | Santa Claus／Town |  | Year Without Santa |  | Rudolph＇s New Year |  | The 700 Club |  |
| FLIX | （5：35）太 ᄎ＂Romeo and Juliet＂（1968） |  |  |  | « $\star$ «＂Stranger Than Paradise＂ |  |  | （9：35）Hairdresser＇s Husband |  |  | ＊＊＂Parents＂（1989） |  |
| FNC | －Special Report |  | Fox Report |  | －The O＇Reilly Factor |  | －Hannity \＆Colmes |  | Greta Van Susteren |  | －The O＇Reilly Factor |  |
| FOOD | 30－Min． | 30－Min． | Good Eat | Unwrap | Emeril Live |  | In／Dish | \＄40／Day | Kitchen Accomp． |  | Iron Chef |  |
| FOXSP | －1，Max | $\triangle$ Cowher | －Words | －Football | －Best Damn Sports Show |  |  | －Spo List | －Pitt．Spo． | －1，Max | $\triangle$ Best | Show |
| FX | ＊＂Jingle All the Way＂（1996，Comedy） |  |  |  | ＾＂Jingle All the Way＂（1996，Comedy） |  |  |  | ＾＂Jingle All the Way＂（1996，Comedy） |  |  |  |
| GOLF | －Drive，Chip \＆Putt |  | －PGA Clinic |  | －Big Break II |  | －Big Break II |  | －Big Break II：Winner Takes All． |  |  |  |
| HALL | ＊＊＊A Season for Miracles＂（CC） 2467618 |  |  |  | « ＂Off Season＂（2001）（CC） 2462163 |  |  |  | ＊＊＂A Christmas Visitor＂（2002） 5173163 |  |  |  |
| HGTV | Weekend | Lan． | Curb ．．． | House | Designer | Designer | Designer | Designer | Designer | Designer | Designer | Designer |
| HIST | （5：00）Mysteries |  | Real King Herod |  | Footsteps of Jesus |  | Footsteps of Jesus |  | Footsteps of Jesus |  | Footsteps of Jesus |  |
| HSN | （3：00）Happy Holidays From HSN |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Happy Holidays |  |
| LIFE | （5：00）＂Angel Doll＂ |  | ＂Eve＇s Christmas＂（2004）（CC） 974453 |  |  |  | ＂On the 2nd Day of Christmas＂ 990366 |  |  |  | ＂Comfort and Joy＂ |  |
| MSNBC | The Abrams Report |  | －Hardball Matthews |  | Countdown |  | Hardball Matthews |  | Scarborough Cty． |  | －Hardball Matthews |  |
| MTV | Boiling | Boiling | Boiling | Boiling | Boiling | Boiling | Boiling | Boiling | Wed | Wed | Wed | Wed |
| NICK | Arnold！ | Rugrats | Jimmy | Parents | Rugrats 5 | 2279 | Sponge． | Parents | Full H＇se | Full H＇se | Fr．Prince | Cosby |

QVC（4：00）Holiday Programming 8070960
SCIFI（4：30）＂Congo＂$\quad \star \star$＂Waterworld＂（1995，Science fiction）Kevin Costner．＇PG－13＇（CC） 5929521
＂12 Monkeys＂
SPIKE $\star \star \star$＂You Only Live Twice＂（1967）Sean Connery．（CC） $874182 \quad \mid \star \star \star$＂Diamonds Are Forever＂（1971）Sean Connery． 598250

| TBS | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Raymond | Raymond | ＊＊＊＂A Christmas Story＂（1983） 190279 |  |  |  | ＊＊＊＂A Christmas Story＂（1983） 466724 |  |  |  |
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| TCM | ＊＊＊＂Period of Adjustment＂（1962）（CC） |  |  |  | ＊ᄎ＂Christmas in Connecticut＂（1945） |  |  |  | ＊＊＊＊＂Meet Me in St．Louis＂（1944）（CC） |  |  |  |
| TLC | Overhaulin＇ 520182 |  | Overhaulin＇ 999163 |  | Overhaulin＇ 908811 |  | Overhaulin＇ 995347 |  | Overhaulin＇ 998434 |  | Overhaulin＇ 135163 |  |
| TNT | Charmed 528724 |  | Law \＆Order |  | Law \＆Order |  | «ᄎ＂I Am Sam＂（2001，Drama）Sean Penn． 351540 |  |  |  |  | I Am Sam |
| TOON | Mr．Magoo＇s ．．． |  | Powerpuff Girls |  | Tangerine Bear（CC） |  | Grinch | Jingle | Ed，Edd | Scooby | Nine | hristmas |
| TRAV | Homes | Homes | Homes | Homes | Road Trip | 33415 | Grand Canyon |  | Great Outdoors |  | Road Trip 5956540 |  |
| TVL | Wings | Wings | Wings | Wings | Bewitch | All／Family | Sanford | Griffith | Sanford | All／Family | ALF | 3＇s Co． |
| USA | ＊＊＂Bring It On＂（2000，Comedy） 186076 |  |  |  | ＂Bring It On Again＂（2004）（CC） 181521 |  |  |  | ＊＊＂Coyote Ugly＂（2000）（CC） 464366 |  |  |  |
| VH1 | Most Metal Moments |  | Most Metal Moments |  | Most Metal Moments |  | Most Metal Moments |  | Most Metal Moments |  | Shocking Mom． |  |
| WE | New Swiss Family ．．． |  | Boston Public（CC） |  | ＊ᄎ ${ }^{\text {a }}$＂Moonstruck＂（1987）Cher．＇PG＇（CC） |  |  |  | Take My | Savvy | ＊＂Falling in Love＂ |  |
| WGN | Home | Will | Will | Home | Hollywood Christmas Parade（S） 707279 |  |  |  | $\text { -News (CC) } 786786$ |  | Nutcracker |  |


| HBO | Catch That Kid | －Inside the NFL | ＊ᄎ ${ }^{\text {＂LLove Actual }}$ | 2003）Alan Rickman． 752540 | Charlie＇s Angels：Full Throttle |  |  |
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| HBO2 | ＂Up Close and Personal＂ 31744705 |  | ＊＊＂Bruce Almighty＂（2003） 7631540 |  | （9：45）＂Mr．Holland＇s Opus＂ 57085637 |  |  |
| MAX | （5：00）＂The Matrix＂496958 ${ }^{\text {a }}$＊＊＊＂The N |  | Matrix Reloaded＂（20） | S）（CC） 446273 ＊ᄎ | ＊＊＂The Matrix Revolutions＂ 7264347 |  |  |
| MMAX | （5：45）＂Action Jackson＂ | «＊＂Identity＂（2003） 1969057 |  | ＊＊＂Torque＂（2004） 5254298 | The Best Sex Ever 9664521 |  |  |
| SHOW | （6：15）„ぇ＂A Guy Thing＂（CC） 48409182 |  | ＂How to Lose a Guy in 10 Days＂ 198811 |  | HUFF（CC） 184618 | Legal | nde 2 |
| SHOW2 | （5：30）＂She－Devil＂ | （7：15）＊＊＂Carry Me Home＂ 53228163 |  | ＊ぇ＂Bulletproof Monk＂（2003） 6752873 |  | Die | Day |
| TMC | ＊ᄎ＊＂Blown Away＂（1994）Jeff Bridges．（S） |  | ＊ᄎぇ＂The Karate Kid＂（1984，Action）（CC） |  | （10：15）ᄎᄎ＂Days of Thunder＂（1990）（CC） |  |  |
| InD1 | （5：00）K－1 Fighting：World Grand Prix Finals 6375960 |  | Classic Wrestling 6892618 |  | Gram Parsons Tribute |  |  |
| InD3 | Three Musketeers | Mickey＇s Twice ．．． | $\star \star$＂The Stepford Wives＂（CC） | ＂Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind＂ |  |  |  |


| DKA | ervice | Christ | Paid | Insider | EXTRA | Celebrity | (3:05) | ners | Unexp. | ries | Lazy Twn | Hea |
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| WTAE 4 | (12:05) J. Kimmel |  | (1:05) Starting Over |  | Christmas Eve |  | -News | Paid (IP) | Wom (JP) | Business | Estate | Living |
| WDTV 5 | Service | Lighting Great Tree |  | Date | Off the Air |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | H | Frasier | Parkers | 70s | ** 'Edale' (1996, Comedy) 3339 |  |  |  | Voic | Kid News | Lazy TV |  |
| WTOVO | Christmas Eve |  | Holiday on lce |  | Nutcracker on lce |  | To Be Announced 220293 |  |  | Missing | Stargate |  |
| WPXI ${ }^{\text {II }}$ | Christmas Eve |  | Celebrate the Season Parade 70380 |  |  |  |  |  | J. Han | Animal | Paid Prg. | Pitt. |
| WBOY ${ }^{2}$ | Christmas |  | Christm | Cathedral | Frasier | Paid Progr | mming 500941 |  | WWoods | kids | Paid Prg. | Kids |
| WQED[3] | Live From Studio A |  | Live From Studio A |  | Live From Studio A |  | Fully Charg |  | Sleigh Ride |  | as |  |
| WCWBra | Paid Programming 406106 |  |  | Studios | Cheaters Paid Prg. |  |  |  | Coin Vault 47774 |  |  |  |
| WNPB20 | T.Smiley | T. Smiley | Wash. | Wall |  |  | Wash. | Wall str | NOW W Bill Moyers |  | On Stage |  |
| WVFX 48 | Carey | Dharma | Jerry Springer |  | Paid Programming 7217903 |  |  |  |  |  | Paid Pro | mmi |
| WPGH63 | Elimidate | Paid Programming 326496 |  |  | Dharma | Date | JustMe | Hom | Paid Programming 88222 |  |  |  |



## MOVIE CHANNELS



| KDKA 2 | $\triangle$ Athlete | Movie | Christmas Mass |  | The Saturday Early Show (S) (CC) 44187 |  |  |  | Backyard | Dora ... | High Q | High Q |
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| WTAE 4 | Hazelton | Garden | Extreme Christmas |  | * * "A Hobo's Christmas" (1987) 62583 |  |  |  | Family | So Raven | Stitch | Fillmore! |
| WDTV 5 | Pets | Outdoors | Lazy Twn | Spider | Backyard | Dora ... | The Satu | day Early Sh | (S) (CC) 8 |  | Little Bill | Blue's |
| WTRF 7 | House | - Woods | Wheeling Festival of Sound 28651 |  |  |  | WVMH Christmas Carols 902019 |  |  |  |  |  |
| WTOV 9 | BobVila | Ohio | - Today (S) (CC) 77941 |  |  |  | Kenny | Tutnstein | Trading | Enduran. | Strange | TBA |
| WPXI 11 | Impact | $\bigcirc$ News | -News (CC) 166570 |  |  |  |  |  |  | Tutnstein | Trading | Enduran. |
| WBOY 12 | House | -Woods | - Today (S) (CC) 60651 |  |  |  | WVMH Christmas Carols 537729 |  |  |  |  |  |
| WQED[3 | Shining Bri |  | Sing We Now |  | Holidays in Rockies |  | L.A. Holiday |  | Choir |  | Candles and Carols |  |
| WCWB ${ }^{2}$ | Paid Programming 440835 |  |  |  | Scooby | Mucha | Grandma |  | Pokemon | Btman | Yu-Gi-Oh! | Yu-Gi-Oh! |
| WNPB24 | Sesame St |  | Boohbah | Jet Plane | GED | GED | My Boy | Wine | Time/By | Wait... | Appear. | Company |
| WVFX46 | Paid Programming 6463748 |  |  |  | Cramp ... | Winx | Sonic X | 1 Piece | Turtles | F-Zero | Kirby | Shaman |
| WPGH63 | Paid Progr | mming | Holmes | Wild | Cramp ... | Winx | Sonic X | 1 Piece | Turtles | F-Zero | Kirby | Shaman |


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| A\&E | Paid Programming |
| AMC | *** "The Bravado |
| ANPL | Dog Show (CC) |
| BET | BET's Morning In |
| BRAVO | Actor's Studio |
| CMTV | CMT Music |
| CNBC | Outside |
| CNN | CNN Presents |
| COM | Paid Programming |
| COUR | Paid Programming |
| CSN | Paid Programming |
| DISC | Paid Programming |
| DISN | Winnie |


| KDKA 2 | Lights | Kids | \# "White Christmas" (1954) Bing Crosby. 53107 |  |  |  |  | - NCAA Fall H'lights |  | $\triangle$ NFL | - |
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| WTAE 4 | Christmas/America |  | Walt Disney World Christmas Day Parade |  |  |  | { |  |  |  |  |
| (3:15) NBA Basketball (Live) 11250106} |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| WDTV 5 | Cartoons on Parade |  | « ${ }^{\text {"White Christmas" ( }}$ (954) Bing Crosby. 810125 |  |  |  |  | - NCAA Fall H'lights |  | $\triangle \mathrm{NFL}$ | NFL Football |
| WTRF 7 | Christmas Carols |  | Kid News | Spider | Backyard | Dora ... | Wheeling | ymphony |  | $\triangle$ NFL | -NFL Football |
| WTOV 9 | TBA | Paid Programming 585632 |  |  | Holiday Celebration on Ice ( N ) (CC) 86564 |  |  |  | -Golf: ADT Skills Challenge. (Tape) 5293 |  |  |
| WPXI 11 | Strange | Wild Life | Kenny | Paid Prg. | Holiday | ebration on | ce ( N ) (CC) | 1632 | -Golf: | Skills Ch | nge. (Tape) 8831 |
| WBOY 12 | Christmas Carols |  | Tutnstein Trading |  | Holiday Celebration on Ice ( N ) (CC) 79274 |  |  |  | -Golf: ADT Skills Challenge. (Tape) 8903 |  |  |
| WQED 13 | Bucknell Christmas |  |  |  | Live From Studio A |  | Live From Studio A |  | Live From Studio A |  | Susq. Artist Series |
| WCWB⒉ | Pets | Liberty | Primary | Water | A Christmas Carol 824748 |  |  | Gadget | Sonic | Jing. Bell | San Antonio Holiday |
| WNPB24 | Baking | Victory | Work | House | House | H'metime | Woodwr't | Router | Anything | Business | Second Find! |
| WVFX 46 | $\triangle$ NFL | Paid Prg. | ** "Eddie" (1996, Comedy) 1889859 |  |  |  | ** "Major League" (1989) 'R' 7244496 |  |  |  | The X-Files |
| WPGH53 | $\triangle$ NFL | Paid Prg. | *ᄎᄎ "Emma" (1996, Drama) 'PG' 34477 |  |  |  | "Kid Cop" (1996) Jeremy Lelliott. 464380 |  |  |  | The X-Files 69816 |

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| ABC | $\begin{aligned} & \text { eNews } \\ & \text { (CC) } 274 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { PABC } \\ & \text { News (CC) } \end{aligned}$ $854$ | Entertainment Tonight (N) (S) (CC) 7019 |  | * $\star \star \star$ "The Sound of Music" (1965, Musical) Julie Andrews, Christopher Plummer. A novitiate leaves her convent and becomes governess to Capt. Von Trapp's seven children in Austria before World War II. (S) ' ${ }^{\prime}$ (CC) 911632 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| $$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { A(5:00) NFL: Oakland Raiders at Kansas City } \\ & \text { Chiefs. (Live) (CC) 524941 } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | «ᄎ $\star$ "My Dog Skip" (2000, Drama) Frankie Muniz, Diane Lane. In 1942 a shy boy receives an exuberant Jack Russell terrier that plays matchmaker and helps protect him from bullies. (S) 'PG' (CC) 2187 |  |  |  | 48 Hours Mystery (CC) 4922 |  | ONews 7096748 | (2) $\mathbf{\triangle J}$ Bettis 2947922 (5) Insider (N) 96564 (7) CSI |
| NBC <br> WTOV $\mathbf{9}$ <br> WPXI <br> WBOY | (9) (11) - News 2767 (12) One Silent Night 5477 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ©NBC } \\ & \text { News } 3019 \end{aligned}$ | $\left.\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { (9) Wheel } \\ 3458(11) \\ \text { (12) Jeop- } \\ \text { ardy! } 1854 \end{array} \right\rvert\,$ | (9) Cash Explosion 2903 (11) (12) Wheel 7699 | « $\star \star \star$ "lt's a Wonderful Life" (1946, Comedy-drama) James Stewart, Donna Reed. Ruined by a miser on Christmas Eve, a suicidal family man sees life anew thanks to his guardian angel. (S) (CC) 426835 |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { ©News } \\ 65583 \end{array}$ | SNL 55125 |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { FOX } \\ \text { WPGH } 63 \\ \text { WVFX } 48 \end{gathered}$ | (53) Just <br> Shoot Me <br> 36449 (46) <br> Raymond <br> 1743212 | (53) Just Shoot Me 26699 (46) '70s Show 1734564 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Friends } \\ & 60545 \end{aligned}$ | (53) Sein- <br> feld 15583 <br> (46) '70s <br> Show <br> 1730748 | Cops 79293 | Cops 85800 | Funniest ments:Vid capture hu | oliday Moo cameras orous inciC) 29835 | $(53)$ <br> ©News <br> 22922 (46) <br> Seinfeld <br> 2330551 | $\begin{aligned} & (46) \text { Sein- } \\ & \text { feld } \\ & 2556699 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { MADTV } \\ & \text { LL Cool } \\ & \text { (CC) } 769 \end{aligned}$ | diday Show. uest stars. (S) |
| PBS <br> WQED๔ <br> WNPB® | (13) Antiques: San Diego. San Diego. (S) (CC) 30458 (24) Joy to the World 60980 |  | (13) The Lawrence Welk Show: Christmas Show. 32767 (24) The Lawrence Welk Show: Host Bob Ralston. 81651 |  | (13) The Raleigh Ringers: One Winter Evening at Meymandi: A Holiday Special 18187 (24) Classic Gospel (CC) 87629 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (13) Mor- } \\ & \text { gan Choir } \\ & 21651 \text { (24) } \\ & \text { Red Green } \\ & 46090 \end{aligned}$ | (24) Red Green 17125 | (13) Chris mas: Chris forms traditio favorites. (CC Mountain 80922 | saak Christsaak peronal holiday C) 31038 (24) tage (CC) | (13) A Ch tion With Makem 6 Austin C | tmas Tradimmy 19 (24) (CC) 27651 |
| WBN <br> WCWB®马 | Paid Programming 10212 |  | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Dharma \& } \\ \text { Greg (S) } \\ (C C) 42125 \end{array}$ | Dharma \& Greg (S) (CC) 71125 | Paid Programming72903 72903 |  | Mutant X: Deadly Desire. (CC) 92767 |  | Andromeda: Decay of the Angel. (S) (CC) 95854 |  | Paid Programming 32583 |  |


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| A\&E | American Justice | City Confidential | *** "Scent of a Woman" (1992, Drama) Al Pacino. (CC) 610835 |  |  |  |  |  | Gotti | Gotti |
| AMC | $\star \star$ "Joe Kidd" (1972, Western) 461729 |  | « $\star \star$ "Winchester ' 73 " (1950) 466274 |  |  |  | * ${ }^{\text {a }}$ "Bend of the River" (1952) 749019 |  |  |  |
| ANPL | Animal Miracles | Animal Miracles | Animal Videos |  | Funni | nimals | City Slickers |  | Animal Videos |  |
| BET | 106 \& Park: BET's Top 10 | Live Music | Parkers | Girlfriend | Comi | the Stage | Rap C |  | Source A | ards '04 |
| BRAVO | Inside the Actors Studio (CC) 269019 |  | *** "The Birdcage" (1996) Robin Williams. 450835 |  |  |  |  | *ᄎぇ "The Birdcage" 368800 |  |  |
| CMTV | Secret of Giving | Christmas/Country | The 38th Annual CMA Awards (S) (CC) |  |  |  |  |  | Let It Be Christmas |  |
| CNBC | Paid Prg. Paid Prg. | -Tim Russert | Suze Orman Show |  | Suze | an Show | - Tim |  | Suze Orm | Show |
| CNN | CNN Live Saturday | The Capital Gang | CNN Presents |  | -Larry King Live |  | CNN Saturday Night |  | CNN Presents |  |
| COM | MADTV (S) (CC) | MADTV (S) (CC) | MADTV (S) (CC) |  | Chris Rock: Bigger \& Blacker |  |  | Chap. | Chap. | Chap. |
| COURT | $\star \star$ "Death of a Cheerleader" (1994) |  | Mas. | Mas. | Mas. | Mas. | Mas. | Mas. | Mas. | Mas. |
| CSN | $\Delta$ Who's No. 1 | \Who's No. 1 | $\Delta$ Who's No. 1 |  | -Who's No. 1 |  | -SportsCentury: |  | - SportsCentury: |  |
| DISC | American Chopper | American Chopper | American Chopper |  | American Chopper |  | American Chopper |  | American Chopper |  |
| DISN | Bracefce Lizzie | Sister ${ }^{\text {So Raven }}$ | "Ultimate Christmas Present" |  |  | Phil, Fut | Lizzie | Sister | Bracefce | Boy ... |

## SATURDAY'S BEST

## 1 p.m. on 4 <br> WALT DISNEY WORLD CHRISTMAS DAY PARADE

Mickey and the gang march down Main Street, U.S.A., in this annual event from Orlando, Fla. Regis Philbin and Kelly Ripa host the telecast, which includes music by Ashanti, Wynonna, and Ruben Studdard and Diana DeGarmo of "American Idol" fame. Actress Eva Longoria is also scheduled to appear, hopefully wearing more than her "Desperate Housewives" co-star Nicollette Sheridan had on during that Monday Night Football incident last month.

## 8 p.m. on 257 MOVIE: MY DOG SKIP

Frankie Muniz ("Malcolm in the Middle") stars as a quiet boy in 1940s Mississippi who discovers a lifelong friend when his parents (Kevin Bacon, Diane Lane) give him a Jack Russell terrier puppy for his ninth birthday. As World War II looms in the background, boy's best friend warms the hearts of the small town's residents and a lonely child. This 2000 drama is based on the childhood memoir of Willie Morris. Harry Connick Jr. provides narration.

## 8 p.m. on 4 <br> MOVIE: THE SOUND <br> OF MUSIC

How did this flick become a Christmas movie when it's not about Christmas? And how did "My Favorite Things" become a Christmas song with only passing references to snowflakes and packages? Who cares? It's a great family-time op. Julie Andrews stars as the nun-turned-nanny who wins over a chilly baron (Christopher Plummer) and his brood, turns them into a singing family and helps them escape the Nazis. Peggy Wood also stars in the 1965 musical.

## 8 p.m. on 9 (1) MOVIE: IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE

James Stewart stars in this 1946 film as a banker who believes he is a failure. On Christmas Eve he decides to end his life, but is stopped by an angel (Henry Travers) who shows him how many people he has touched. Directed by Frank Capra, the movie also stars Donna Reed and Lionel Barrymore.

## 8 p.m. on A\&E <br> MOVIE: SCENT OF A WOMAN

Al Pacino stars as a blind war veteran who gives life lessons to his personal assistant, a quiet prep-school

| ESPN | ( 5 :00) Figure Skating (CC) 350941 |  |  |  | $\triangle$ SportCrr. | (NFL Football: Denver Broncos at Ten |  |  |
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| ESPN2 | $\triangle$ Poker | - World Series/Poker |  | WWorld | ries/Poker | - Hockey (Live) 9685038 |  |  |
| EWTN | Bach | Trees | Solemn Mass of Christmas |  |  | Advent | Star Rise | Rosa |
| FAM | $\star \star$ "Three Days" (2001) (CC) 460125 |  |  |  | * * "The Christmas List" (1997) 465670 |  |  |  |
| FLIX | (6:15) ᄎᄎ "Stanley \& lris" (1990) (S) (CC) |  |  |  | «ᄎ "While You Were Sleeping" (1995) |  |  |  |
| FNC | -Beltway | - News | Fox Repo |  | Tribute to Tro | oops | The Birth of Jesus |  |
| FOOD | Kitchen Accomp. |  | Kitchen Accomp. |  | Snacks Unwrapped |  | Desserts | wrap'd |
| FOXSP | $\triangle$ Beyond the Glory |  | $\triangle$ Beyond the Glory |  | $\triangle$ Beyond the Glory |  | - Beyond the Glory |  |
| FX | *ᄎ* "Dr. Dolittle" (1998) Eddie Murphy. |  |  |  | ** "Dr. Dolitlle 2" (2001) |  |  |  |

nessee Titans. (Live) 598980

| $\star \star$ "Scrooged" (1988) | Bill Murray. 715187 |  |
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| (9:45) $\star \star$ "When the Party's Over" (1992) |  |  |
| Fox Report | Hours | ○News |
| Food Icons Unwrap | Unwrap | Top 5 (N) |
| $\mathbf{\Delta P i t t .}$ Spo. | $\Delta$ Football | $\mathbf{\Delta C h a m p . ~ P o k e r ~}$ |
| $\star \star$ "The Royal Tenenbaums" (2001) 'R' |  |  |



| HALL | (5:00) "Santa Jr." | "Single Santa Seeks Mrs. ..." 5909632 |  |  | "A Boyfriend for Christmas" 2438106 |  |  |  | Once Upon a ... |  |
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| HGTV | Crazy for Christmas | Control Christmas | Organize | Deco. | Designer | Design | Design | D. Design | S. Design | Hom |
| HIST | Sec/Ancient World | Sec/Ancient World |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| HSN | (2:00) Happy Holidays From HSN |  |
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| LIFE | Danielle Steel's ... | $\star \star$ "Mista |


| LIFE | Danielle | I's ... | * * "Mistaken Identity" (1999) 435564 |  |  |  | "Identity Theft" 444187 |  |  |  | Homeless to ... |  |
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| MSNBC | MSNBC Adventurer |  | MSNBC Adventurer |  | MSNBC Adventurer |  | MSNBC Adventurer |  | MSNBC Investigates |  | MSNBC Investigates |  |
| MTV | True Lif | 1835 | True Lif | 0748 | True Life | 99496 | Real | Real | Real | Real | Real | Real |
| NICK | Jimmy | Teenage | Grown | Sponge. | Grown | Romeo! | All That | Amanda | Full H'se | Full H'se | Full H'se | Cosby |

Holiday Programming 9270729
QVC (2:00) Holiday Programming 7775800

| SCIFI | (4:30) "Frequency" | "Flintstones in Viva Rock ..." 5016038 | $\star \star$ "Casper" (1995, Fantasy) 1584293 | Final Fantasy |
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| S | (5:00) $\star$ * $\star$ "Licence to Kill" (CC) 371545 |  |  |  | * $\star \star$ "The World Is Not Enough" (1999) Pierce Brosnan. 444580 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| TBS | * $\star$ * "A Christmas Story" (1983) 649545 |  |  |  | «ᄎ * "Home Alone" (1990) (CC) 644090 |  |  |  | ^ "Saving Silverman" (2001) (CC) 927835 |  |  |  |
| TCM | * $\star$ * "Annie Get Your Gun" (1950, Musical) |  |  |  | * $\star \star \star$ "Mr. Deeds Goes to Town" (1936) |  |  |  | * * * "Meet John Doe" (1941) Gary Cooper. |  |  |  |
| TLC | Trading |  | Bst/rad | Spaces |  |  | Tradin |  | Trading |  | Trading Sp |  |
| TNT | (4:00) * * "The Mists of Avalon" 962019 |  |  |  | * ${ }^{\text {"Ever After" ( }}$ (1998, Romance) 461380 |  |  |  | * * * "First Knight" (1995) 'PG-13' 821309 |  |  |  |
| TOON | Noel Noel | Grinch | Christmas | Dinosa | Grandm |  | Ed, Edd | Xmas | Scooby | Grinch | Read or D |  |
| TRAV | -World Poker Tour (CC) 2429458 |  |  |  | Kings of the Road |  | Weird Travels |  | Ends of the Earth |  | Kings of th | Road |
| TVL | Wings | Bewitch | Bewitch | Cheers | Brady | G. Acre | Griffith | 3's Co. | Sanford | All/Family | All/Family | All/Family |
| USA | (5:00) Billy Madison |  | « * "Big Daddy" (1999, Comedy) 802212 |  |  |  | * ${ }^{\text {"Liar Liar" (1997) Jim Carrey. } 641903}$ |  |  |  | All About Benjamins |  |
| VH1 | I Love the '80s |  | I Love the '80s |  | I Love the '80s |  | I Love the '80s |  | My Coolest Years |  | I Love the ' 80 s |  |
| WE | ^ 尬 "Moonstruck" (1987) Cher. 'PG' (CC) |  |  |  | « $\star$ * "When Harry Met Sally ..." (1989) 'R' |  |  |  | McLeod's Daughters |  | * ${ }^{\text {"A Civil Action" }}$ |  |
| WGN | "Nutcracker: The Motion Picture" 256545 |  |  |  | *ᄎ * "Home Alone" (1990) (CC) 251090 |  |  |  | -News (CC) 270125 |  | Becker | Christmas |

HBO (6:15) $\star \star$ "The In-Laws" (2003) 38259632 $\quad \star \star$ "Welcome to Mooseport" (CC) $471106 \mid$ "Life and Death of Peter ..." 3664877

| HBO2 | Peggy Sue Got ... | * ** "Antwone | (2002) 4451361 | ** | e) 41475 |  |  |
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| MAX | *ᄎ "Stuck on You" (2003) (CC) 442729 |  | *ᄎぇ "Patriot Games" (1992) (CC) 447274 |  | ** "You Got Served" 8221800 |  | Bedtim |
| NAX | (5:15) "Drumline" | "Win a Date With Tad ..." 53293477 |  |  |  | Nightmare on Elm ... |  |
| SHOW | "Spy Kids 2" 48476854 |  | $\star \star \star$ "The School of Rock" (2003) 659922 |  | $\star \star \star$ "Barbershop" (2002) (CC) 8618187 |  |  |
| SHOW2 | (4:45) "Italian Job" | (6:45) $\star \star$ "The Four Feathers" 81641274 |  | * "Serving Sara" (2002 | S) (CC) 6729545 | (10:45) |  |
| TMC | $\star \star$ "Fatliners" (1990) Kiefer Sutherland. |  | ** * "Glory" (1989) Mathew Broderick. |  | (10:05) *** "The Big Chill" (1983) (CC) |  |  |
| InD1 | Parsons ${ }^{\text {Classi }}$ | assic Wrestling 6884699 | - Japanese Hardcore Wrestling VI 4153125 |  | Blind Date Uncensored Marathon |  |  |
| InD3 | *ᄎ "A Cinderella Story" (2004) Hilary Duff. |  | * $\star$ "Elf" (2003, Comedy) Will Ferrell. (CC) |  | «ᄎ "The Stepford Wives" (CC) |  | Day ... |

## SATURDAY'S BEST

student. Pacino won an Oscar for his performance as the hard-drinking bon vivant. Chris O'Donnell, Gabrielle Anwar and Philip S. Hoffman also star in this 1992 drama.

## 8 p.m. on FX

MOVIE: DR. DOLITTLE 2
In this 2001 sequel, Eddie Murphy returns as the fellow who can talk to the animals, most of which talk back. The politically correct tale finds them asking the doctor to find a mate for a bear that may become extinct otherwise. That leads Dolittle to a performing animal that must readjust to wilderness conditions. Kevin Pollak, Andy Dick
and Isaac Hayes lend their voices to the fun.

## 8 p.m. on HBO <br> MOVIE: WELCOME TO MOOSEPORT

And you thought the BushKerry battle was intense? Gene Hackman stars in this 2004 comedy from last spring as a former U.S. president who is asked to replace his hometown's late mayor. He agrees, not knowing that he has competition from a mild-mannered plumber (Ray Romano), who's willing to step aside - until the exprez moves in on his girl (Maura Tierney). Christine Baranski, Fred Savage, Marcia Gay Harden and Rip Torn also star.

## 9 p.m. on LIFE MOVIE: IDENTITY THEFT: THE MICHELLE BROWN STORY

Kimberly Williams-Paisley has focused on comedy lately by co-starring in "According to Jim," but she turns back to drama in this 2004 movie, the true story of Michelle, a woman whose identity was assumed by a total stranger (played by Annabella Sciorra). The hijacking even extended to cosmetic surgery intended to make the fake Michelle look like the real one, who eventually testified at a related Senate hearing.

## 11 p.m. on LIFE MOVIE: HOMELESS TO HARVARD: THE LIZ MURRAY STORY

Thora Birch ("American Beauty") has the title role in this 2003 drama movie, the true story of a young woman who overcame the squalor of her childhood to attend Harvard University. Raised by drug-addicted parents (Kelly Lynch, Michael Riley), Murray took to the streets but eventually gained control of her life and earned her highschool diploma in two years. She then won a newspaper-sponsored college scholarship.

| KDKA 2 Insider | Insider CSI: Crime | Unexp. Mysteries |  | (2:35) Celebrity Jst |  | Athlote | BobV | House | Spider | Mar |
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| WDTV 5 | She Spies 24602 | Mutant X 65978 | Andromeda 186220 |  | Off the Air |  |  |  | Couple | Cou |
| WTRF 7 | CSI Entertainm | Entertainment 'Night ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Parkers | '70s | $\mid \star \star \star$ "Emma" (1996, Drama) PG' 701688 |  |  |  | Par | Jesus | Wo |
| WTOV 9 | (11:3) Sat. Night | Andromeda 46930 | She Spies 974572 |  | Friends | Saturday Night Live 978423 |  |  | Anim | Miss |
| WPXI ${ }_{\text {cin }}$ | (11:3) Sat. Night | Date Nt. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Ops | Missing | Kickin'lt | 69568 | Saturday | Ight Live 96 |  | Paid | J. H |
| WBOY ${ }^{\text {P }}$ | (11:30) Sat. Night | Saturday Night Live 604201 |  | CSI:Crime Scene |  | Paid Programming 742355 |  |  |  |  |
| WQED[3] | Purdue Christmas | Choir | On Stage |  | Concordia | College | Barra Mac |  |  | Baylor |
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| WNPBE9 | On Stage | Christmas Belmont | Choir |  | Christmas | at Baylor | Sing We |  | Arthurs | ristma |
| WVFX 46 | Jerry Springer | Maximum Exposure | Ulltimate Pok |  | Paid Programming 7115591 |  |  |  |  |  |
| WPGH63 | Paid Programming | Showtime at Apollo | ** "Rock My World" (2002) 'R 456171 |  |  |  | Paid | mming |  |  |



MOVIE CHANNELS
HBO (12:5) The Wire (1:10) $\star \star \star$ "The Full Monty" 62232423 (2::45) $\star \star \star$ " "FacelOff" (1997) 47126177 $\quad$ Welcome to ...
HBO2 $\star \star \star \star$ "Catch Me ifYou Can" (2002) (CC) 28889355 (2:25) "Other People's Money" |(4:10) "The Shape of Things" 14940305


| MMAX Nightmare on Elm ... | Emmanuelle in Rio $\mid(2: 15) \star$ "Half Past Dead" (CC) 48302978 | $\star \star$ "Sunstroke" (CC) 6732249 | Some ... |
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SHOW Norman Rockwell Is Bleeding $\mid \star \star$ "Blind Horizon" $3772794 \mid$ Red Shoe Diaries $\quad \star \star \star$ "The School of Rock" (2003) 393297
SHOW2 Hunted |"Cops \& Robbersons" $\mid$ "Searching for Debra Winger" 78140404 $\star \star$ "Lone Woif McQuade" (1983) 3135244
TMC $\star \star$ "Kicking and Screaming" (1995) (CC)
InD1 (10:00) Blind Date Uncensored Marathon Girls of Surf Illus. Stag: Uncensored Naked News TV! Bikini Model Search
InD3 (11:30) ** "The Day After Tomorrow" $\quad \star \star * *$ "Fahrenheit 9/11" (2004, Documentary) (S) 'R' ${ }^{*}$ ** "The Stepford Wives" (CC)

## MOVIES

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The Abominable Dr. Phibes * $\star \star$ ('71) Vincent Price. (PG-13) 105m. (FLIX) Sun. 6:15 p.m.; Wed. 8:05 a.m.; 4:35 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
The Abyss $\star \star \star$ ('89) Ed Harris. (PG-13) 150m. (HBO2) Fri. 7:30 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
The Agronomist $\star \star \star$ ('03) (PG13) 90m. (MAX) Wed. 7 a.m. (CC) The Alamo $\star \star \star$ ('60) John Wayne. (NR) 210m. (TNT) Sat. 2:30 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
All Fall Down $\star \star \star$ ('62) Warren Beatty. (NR) 120m. (TCM) Tue. 10 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
The American President $\star \star \star$ ('95) Michael Douglas. (PG13) 160 m . (WTBS) Thu. 10:10 p.m.; 3:05 a.m. (CC) (VCR)

Angels With Dirty Faces $\star \star \star$ ('38) James Cagney. (NR) 100m. (MAX) Fri. 6 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Annie Get Your Gun $\star \star \star$ ('50) Betty Hutton. (NR) 120m (TCM) Sat. 6 p.m.
Antwone Fisher $\star \star \star$ ('02) Derek Luke. (PG-13) 120m. (HBO2) Tue. 10 a.m.; Sat. 7 p.m. (CC) (S)

Arabesque $\star \star \star$ ('66) Gregory Peck. (NR) 105m. (AMC) Mon. 6:30 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
The Arrival $\star \star \star$ ('96) Charlie Sheen. (PG-13) 120m. (USA) Wed. 1:30 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
Ash Wednesday $\star \star \star$ ('02) Edward Burns. (R) 105m. (TMC) Wed. 11:15 p.m. (CC) (S)
Austin Powers: International
Man of Mystery $\star \star \star$ ('97) Mike Myers. (PG-13) 120m. (VH1) Wed. 5 p.m.; 9 p.m. (S) (VCR)

## B

Back to the Future $\star \star \star$ ('85) Michael J. Fox. (PG) 135m (TNT) Sun. 12 p.m. (CC) (VCR) Bank Shot $\star \star \star$ ('74) George C. Scott. (PG) 90m. (FLIX) Fri. 4:05 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
Barbershop $\star \star \star$ ('02) Ice Cube. (PG-13) 105m. (SHOW) Tue. 7:15 p.m.; Sat. 10 p.m. (CC) (S); (SHOW2) Sun. 7:35 a.m.; 5:15 p.m. (CC) (S)
Bartleby $\star \star \star$ ('01) David Paymer. (PG-13) 90m. (SHOW2) Wed. 11:30 a.m. (CC) (S)
Beautiful Girls $\star \star \star$ ('96) Timothy Hutton. (R) 120m. (HBO2) Thu. 10 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Beetlejuice $\star \star \star$ ('88) Michael Keaton. (PG) 120m. (USA) Thu 4 p.m.; Fri. 8 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Before Sunset $\star \star \star$ ('04) Ethan Hawke. (R) 90m. (IND3) Mon. 6:30 p.m.; Tue. 10 p.m.; Thu. 4:30 a.m. (CC) (S)
Ben-Hur $\star \star \star \star$ ('59) Charlton Heston. Enslaved prince meets Roman betrayer in chariot race. (G) 240m. (TCM) Sat. 10:30 a.m. (VCR)

Bend It Like Beckham $\star \star \star$ ('02) Parminder Nagra. (PG-13) 120m. (HBO) Sun. 7 p.m.; Wed. 8:30 a.m. (CC) (S)

Bend of the River $\star \star \star$ ('52) James Stewart. (NR) 91m. (AMC) Sat. 10 p.m.; 4 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Better Luck Tomorrow $\star \star \star$ ('02) Parry Shen. (R) 105m. (SHOW) Tue. 3 a.m. (CC) (S)
The Big Chill $\star \star \star$ ('83) William Hurt. (R) 105m. (TMC) Sat. 12:30 p.m.; 10:05 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

The Big Easy $\star \star \star$ ('86) Dennis Quaid. (R) 120m. (FX) Mon. 11 a.m.; 2 a.m. (VCR)
Big Fish $\star \star \star$ ('03) Ewan McGregor. (PG-13) 135m. (MAX) Sun. 5:30 p.m.; Fri. 2:45 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

A Big Hand for the Little Lady $\star \star \star$ ('66) Henry Fonda. (NR) 95m. (AMC) Tue. 10:15 p.m.; 2 a.m. (VCR)

The Big Heat $\star \star \star$ ('53) Glenn Ford. (NR) 90m. (AMC) Thu. 7 a.m. (VCR)

The Birdcage $\star \star \star$ ('96) Robin Williams. (R) 150m. (BRAVO) Sat. 8 p.m.; 10:30 p.m. (VCR)
The Bishop's Wife $\star \star \star$ ('47)
Cary Grant. (NR) 120m. (TCM) Thu. 11:30 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
Blown Away $\star \star \star$ ('94) Jeff Bridges. (R) 135m. (TMC) Sun. 9:45 p.m.; Fri. 6 p.m. (S) (VCR)
The Blues Brothers $\star \star \star$ ('80) John Belushi. (R) 133m. (AMC) Wed. 7:30 p.m.; 11 p.m. (VCR)
Body Heat $\star \star \star$ ('81) William Hurt. (R) 115m. (MAX2) Mon. 2:05 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Boogie Nights $\star \star \star$ ('97) Mark Wahlberg. (R) 160m. (HBO) Mon. 3:20 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Born to Win $\star \star \star$ ('71) George
Segal. (R) 90m. (FLIX) Thu. 9:35 p.m. (VCR)

Bowfinger $\star \star \star$ ('99) Steve Martin. (PG-13) 120m. (USA) Wed. 6 p.m. (VCR)
Bowling for Columbine $\star \star \star$ ('02) (R) 120m. (SHOW2) Sun. 1:30 p.m.; Thu. 5 p.m. (CC) (S)
Boys on the Side $\star \star \star$ ('95) Whoopi Goldberg. (R) 120m. (WTBS) Tue. 3:10 a.m. (CC) (VCR) The Bravados $\star \star \star$ ('58) Gregory Peck. (NR) 98m. (AMC) Sat. 6 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Breakdown $\star \star \star$ ('97) Kurt Russell. (R) 95m. (HBO2) Thu. 11 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Breakfast at Tiffany's $\star \star \star$ ('61) Audrey Hepburn. (NR) 120m. (FLIX) Tue. 11 a.m.; 8 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

Breaking Away $\star \star \star$ ('79) Dennis Christopher. (PG) 120m (BRAVO) Tue. 2:30 p.m. (VCR)
Broken Promises: Taking Emily Back $\star \star \star$ ('93) Cheryl Ladd. (NR) 120m. (WE) Wed. 10 p.m.; Thu. 11 a.m.

Bugsy $\star \star \star$ ('91) Warren Beatty. (R) 150m. (TMC) Mon. 8 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

Bull Durham $\star \star \star$ ('88) Kevin Costner. (R) 120m. (HBO) Thu 9 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Bullets Over Broadway $\star \star \star$ ('94) John Cusack. (R) 120m. (BRAVO) Sun. 4 a.m. (VCR)


The Cameraman $\star \star \star$ ('28) Buster Keaton. (NR) 75m. (TCM) Sun. 12 a.m. (VCR)
Casino $\star \star \star$ ('95) Robert De Niro. (R) 180m. (USA) Sun. 5:30 p.m.; Mon. 11 a.m. (CC) (VCR)

Catch Me if You Can $\star \star \star$ ('02) Leonardo DiCaprio. (PG-13) 150m. (HBO2) Mon. 4:30 p.m.; Sat. 12:30 p.m.; 12 a.m. (CC) (S) Child's Play $\star \star \star$ ('88) Catherine Hicks. (R) 120 m . (SCIFI) Thu. 7 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
A Christmas Carol $\star \star \star$ ('38) Reginald Owen. (NR) 90m. (TCM) Thu. 8 p.m. (CC) (VCR) Christmas Lilies of the Field $\star \star \star$ ('79) Billy Dee Williams. (NR) 120m. (WGN) Sat. 11:30 p.m. (VCR)

A Christmas Story $\star \star \star$ ('83) Peter Billingsley. (PG) 105m. (TCM) Wed. 12:15 a.m. (CC); (WTBS) Fri. 8 p.m.; 10 p.m.; 12 a.m.; 2 a.m.; 4 a.m.; Sat. 6 a.m.; 8 a.m.; 10 a.m.; 12 p.m.; 2 p.m.; 4 p.m.; 6 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
College $\star \star \star$ ('27) Buster Keaton. (NR) 75m. (TCM) Sun. 2 a.m. (VCR)

The Company $\star \star \star$ ('03) Neve Campbell. (PG-13) 120m. (MAX) Sun. 8:30 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Conagher $\star \star \star$ ('91) Sam Elliott. (NR) 150m. (TNT) Sat. 6 a.m. (VCR)

The Conversation $\star \star \star \star$ ('74) Gene Hackman. A surveillance expert gets too close to his work. (PG) 120m. (MAX2) Wed. 1:30 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
Count Yorga, Vampire $\star \star \star$ ('70) Robert Quarry. (PG-13) 95m. (FLIX) Tue. 7:40 a.m.; 4:35 p.m. (CC) (VCR)

The Cover Girl Murders $\star \star \star$ ('93) Lee Majors. (PG-13) 90m. (HBO) Mon. 12:30 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
The Craft $\star \star \star$ ('96) Robin Tunney. (R) 120m. (WTBS) Tue. 1:10 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Crime Spree $\star \star \star$ ('03) Gerard Depardieu. (R) 105m. (TMC) Tue. 10:45 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

## D

Dances With Wolves $\star \star \star \star$ ('90) Kevin Costner. A Union officer befriends the Lakota; shorter version. (PG-13) 185m. (MAX2) Sat. 7:30 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Dawn of the Dead $\star \star \star$ ('04) Sarah Polley. (NR) 120m. (IND3) Tue. 2 a.m. (CC) (S)
The Dead $\star \star \star$ ('87) Anjelica Huston. (PG) 85m. (TMC) Wed. 7:35 a.m.; 4:30 p.m. (S) (VCR)
Dead Man Walking $\star \star \star$ ('95) Susan Sarandon. (R) 150m. (USA) Wed. 1 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Deliverance $\star \star \star \star$ ('72) Jon Voight. An Appalachian canoe trip turns bad for four businessmen. (R) 115m. (MAX) Sun. 4:05 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

Diamonds Are Forever $\star \star \star$ ('71) Sean Connery. (PG) 180m. (SPIKE) Fri. 9 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
The Diary of Anne Frank $\star \star \star$ ('59) Millie Perkins. (NR) 180m. (TCM) Tue. 8 p.m. (VCR)
Die Hard With a Vengeance
$\star \star \star$ ('95) Bruce Willis. (R)
135m. (MAX) Thu. 7:45 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

Dirty Dancing $\star \star \star$ ('87) Jennifer Grey. (PG-13) 135m. (BRAVO) Fri. 8 p.m.; 10:15 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
Divorce, Italian Style $\star \star \star$ '62) Marcello Mastroianni. (NR) 120m. (TCM) Thu. 1 p.m. (VCR)
Dr. Dolittle $\star \star \star$ ('98) Eddie
Murphy. (PG-13) 120m. (FX) Sat. 6 p.m. (VCR)
Dressed to Kill $\star \star \star$ ('80) Michael Caine. (R) 105 m . (SHOW2) Tue. 12:15 a.m. (VCR)
Drumline $\star \star \star$ ('02) Nick Cannon. (PG-13) 130m. (MAX2) Sun. 2:05 p.m.; Sat. 5:15 p.m. (CC) (S)

## E

Educating Rita $\star \star \star$ ('83) Michael Caine. (PG) 110m. (TMC) Wed. 12:45 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
El Dorado $\star \star \star$ ('67) John Wayne. (NR) 126m. (AMC) Sat. p.m. (CC) (VCR)

Elf $\star \star \star$ ('03) Will Ferrell. (PG) 120m. (IND3) Sun. 9:30 a.m.; 3:30 p.m.; 10:30 p.m.; Mon. 12 p.m.; 8 p.m.; Tue. 4 p.m.; Wed. 8 a.m.; 2 p.m.; 10 p.m.; 4 a.m.; Thu. 12 p.m.; 8 p.m.; Fri. 8 a.m.; 3:30 p.m.; 11:30 p.m.; Sat. 11 a.m.; 8 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

Emma $\star \star \star$ ('96) Gwyneth Paltrow. (PG) 121m. 7 Sun. 2 a.m.; Sat. 2:30 a.m.; 53 Sat. 1 p.m. (VCR)

Enemies of Laughter $\star \star \star$ ('00) David Paymer. (NR) 95m. (TMC) Mon. 7:25 a.m. (CC) (S)
The English Patient $\star \star \star$ ('96) Ralph Fiennes. (R) 165m. (MAX) Sat. 6:15 a.m. (CC) (S); (MAX2) Tue. 12 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind $\star \star \star$ ('04) Jim Carrey. (R) 120m. (IND3) Mon. 12:30 a.m.; Tue. 6 p.m.; 4 a.m.; Fri. 9:30 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Evelyn $\star \star \star$ ('02) Pierce Brosnan. (PG) 105m. (SHOW) Mon. 10:30 a.m.; Sat. 3 p.m. (CC) (S); (SHOW2) Fri. 12 p.m.; 3 a.m. (CC) (S)

Executive Decision $\star \star \star$ ('96) Kurt Russell. (R) 135m. (MAX2) Thu. 2:50 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Experiment in Terror $\star \star \star$ ('62) Glenn Ford. (NR) 135m. (FLIX) Fri. 9:15 a.m.; 3:45 a.m. (VCR)
Eyes Wide Shut $\star \star \star$ ('99) Tom Cruise. (R) 160m. (HBO) Sun. 12:55 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

## F

Face/Off $\star \star \star$ ('97) John Travolta. (R) 140m. (HBO) Mon. 11:55 p.m.; Sat. 2:45 a.m. (CC) (S); (HBO2) Thu. 2:15 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Fahrenheit 9/11 $\star \star \star$ ('04) (R) 150m. (IND3) Sat. 2 a.m. (S) (VCR)

## MOVIES

Fantastic Voyage $\star \star \star$（＇66）
Stephen Boyd．（PG）120m
（WGN）Sun． 3 p．m．（VCR）
Father of the Bride $\star \star \star \star$ （＇50）Spencer Tracy．A banker sums up his daughter＇s trying wedding．（NR）120m．（TCM） Wed． 2 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
Ferris Bueller＇s Day Off $\star \star \star$ （＇86）Matthew Broderick．（PG－13） 150m．（COM）Thu．8：30 p．m． Fri．8：30 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
First Knight $\star \star \star$（＇95）Sean Connery．（PG－13）150m．（TNT） Sat． 10 p．m．（VCR）
Flash Gordon $\star \star \star$（＇80）Sam Jones．（PG）120m．（FLIX）Tue．2：35 p．m．；Sat． 6 a．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Flying Leathernecks $\star \star \star$（＇51） John Wayne．（NR）102m．（AMC） Sun． 11 a．m．； 2 a．m．（VCR）
The Fortune Cookie $\star \star \star$ （＇66）Jack Lemmon．（NR）135m （TMC）Mon． 12 p．m．（CC）（VCR） Frankie and Johnny $\star \star \star$ （＇91）Al Pacino．（R） 120 m ． （MAX2）Wed．9：30 a．m．（CC）（S） （VCR）
The Front $\star \star \star \star$（＇76）Woody Allen．Bookie fronts for blacklist－ ed writers in McCarthy era．（PG） 95m．（TMC）Thu．6：25 p．m．（CC） （VCR）
Full Metal Jacket $\star \star \star$（＇87） Matthew Modine．（R）120m （MAX）Wed．8：30 a．m．（CC） （VCR）
The Full Monty $\star \star \star$（＇97） Robert Carlyle．（R）95m．（HBO） Sat．1：10 a．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）

## G

Gandhi $\star \star \star$（＇82）Ben Kings－ ley．（PG）240m．（BRAVO）Fri． 3 p．m．（VCR）
Glory $\star \star \star \star$（＇89）Matthew Broderick．Col．Shaw trains， leads an all－black Civil War regi－ ment．（R）135m．（TMC）Sun． 4 p．m．；Sat． 8 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）

## The Godfather $\star \star \star \star$（＇72）

 Marlon Brando．Mafia boss Vito Corleone and his sons．（R） 240m．（SPIKE）Wed． 9 p．m （CC）（S）（VCR）The Godfather，Part II $\star \star \star \star$ （＇74）Al Pacino．Michael Cor leone moves crime family to Las Vegas．（R）270m．（SPIKE）Thu． 9 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Gods and Monsters $\star \star \star$ （＇98）lan McKellen．（R）120m． （BRAVO）Sat． 5 a．m．
Going My Way $\begin{gathered}\text { t＊ぇ（＇44）}\end{gathered}$ Bing Crosby．Singing Irish priest bails out a crusty curate．（NR） 135m．（TCM）Sat． 6 a．m．（CC） （VCR）
Gone With the Wind $\star \star \star \star$ （＇39）Clark Gable．Civil War rogue Rhett loves Southern belle Scarlett．（G）300m．（TNT）Sat 8：30 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
Gosford Park $\star \star \star$（＇01） Eileen Atkins．（R）137m．（A\＆E） Thu． 8 a．m．； 2 p．m．（CC）
Gremlins 2：The New Batch $\star \star \star$（＇90）Zach Galligan．（PG－ 13）120m．（HBO）Sun．11：30 a．m．；Thu．6：55 a．m．； 4 p．m．（CC） （S）（VCR）

The Grey Zone $\star \star \star$（＇01） David Arquette．（R）120m． （HBO2）Tue． 12 p．m．（CC）（S）
Gung Ho $\star \star \star$（＇86）Michae Keaton．（PG－13）112m．（A\＆E） Fri．8：30 a．m．；2：30 p．m．（CC） （VCR）

Gunga Din $\begin{gathered} \\ \text { t } \\ \text {（＇39）Cary }\end{gathered}$ Grant．Britons and aged water－ boy face Thugs at Khyber Pass． （NR）120m．（TCM）Wed． 10 a．m． （CC）（VCR）

## H

The Hairdresser＇s Husband $\star \star \star$（＇90）Jean Rochefort．（R） 90m．（FLIX）Mon． 8 p．m．；Fri． 9：35 p．m．（VCR）
Harry Potter and the Cham－ ber of Secrets $\star \star \star$（＇02） Daniel Radcliffe．（PG） 165 m （MAX2）Tue．12：30 p．m．；Sat． 12：50 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Harry Potter and the Sorcer－ er＇s Stone $\star \star \star$（＇01）Daniel Radcliffe．（PG）180m．（FAM） Sun． 6 p．m．； 9 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Harvey $\star \star \star$（＇50）James Stew－ art．（NR）104m．（AMC）Mon． 5：30 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
Hatari！$\star \star \star$（＇62）John Wayne． （NR）159m．（AMC）Sun．7：45 a．m．（VCR）
Heaven Can Wait $\star \star \star$（＇78） Warren Beatty．（PG）100m． （AMC）Wed．10：30 a．m．（CC） （VCR）
Heavenly Creatures $\star \star \star$ （＇94）Melanie Lynskey．（R）105m． （TMC）Tue．1：30 a．m．；Fri．12：05 a．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Hell＇s Heroes $\begin{gathered} \\ \\ \text { t }\end{gathered}$（＇29） Charles Bickford．（NR）75m （TCM）Thu． 3 a．m．
Hero $\star \star \star$（＇92）Dustin Hoff－ man．（PG－13）125m．（FLIX）Sat． 8 a．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Holiday Inn $\star \star \star$（＇42）Bing Crosby．（NR）120m．（TCM）Fri． 12 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
Hombre $\star \star \star$（＇67）Paul New－ man．（NR）111m．（AMC）Tue． 4 p．m．（VCR）
Home Alone $\star \star \star$（＇90） Macaulay Culkin．（PG）120m （WGN）Sat． 8 p．m．（CC）（S）； （WTBS）Sat． 8 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Homeless to Harvard：The Liz Murray Story $\star \star \star$（＇03） Thora Birch．（NR）120m．（LIFE） Sat． 11 p．m．（CC）
Hooper $\star \star \star$（＇78）Burt Reynolds．（PG）99m．（AMC） Wed．1：30 a．m．；Thu． 6 p．m （VCR）
The Hound of the Baskervilles $\star \star \star$（＇59）Peter Cushing．（NR）90m．（TCM）Wed 3：15 p．m．（VCR）
The Hours $\star \star \star$（＇02）Meryl Streep．（PG－13）120m．（TMC） Sat． 4 p．m．（CC）（S）
How the West Was Won $\star \star \star$ （＇63）Spencer Tracy．（G）180m． （TCM）Mon． 2 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
The Hustler $\star \star \star \star$（＇61）Paul Newman．Gambler stakes pool shark against Minnesota Fats （NR）180m．（CSN）Sun． 8 p．m．； 11 p．m．（VCR）

gby Goes Down $\begin{aligned} & \text {＊} \star \text {（＇02）}\end{aligned}$ Kieran Culkin．（R）105m． （SHOW）Thu．6：15 p．m．（CC）（S） Images $\begin{gathered}\text { t } \star ~(' 72) ~ S u s a n n a h ~\end{gathered}$ York．（R）105m．（FLIX）Thu．1：15 a．m．
In the Good Old Summer－ time $\star \star \star$（＇49）Judy Garland． （NR）120m．（TCM）Sun． 10 a．m． Fri． 4 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
The Indian Fighter $\star \star \star$（＇55） Kirk Douglas．（NR）90m．（FLIX） Sat． 12 p．m．（VCR）
Intolerable Cruelty $\star \star \star$（＇03） George Clooney．（PG－13）105m． （MAX）Wed．8：15 p．m．；3：15 a．m．（CC）（S）
It Happened One Night ネぇぇぇ（＇34）Claudette Colbert． Newsman rides bus，shares cab－ in with tycoon＇s daughter．（NR） 120m．（TCM）Sat．12：15 a．m． （CC）（VCR）
t＇s a Wonderful Life $\star \star \star \star$ （＇46）James Stewart．Guardian angel strengthens man ruined by miser．（NR）129m． 9 Sat． 8 p．m．（CC）（S）； 11 Sat． 8 p．m． （CC）（S）； 12 Sat． 8 p．m．（CC）（S） （VCR）
The Italian Job $\star \star \star$（＇03） Mark Wahlberg．（PG－13）120m． （SHOW）Thu． 10 p．m．（CC）（S）； （SHOW2）Wed． 8 a．m．； 9 p．m．； Sat．6：30 a．m．；4：45 p．m．（CC）（S）


James and the Giant Peach
$\star \star \star$（＇96）Paul Terry．（PG）80m． 22 Sun． 12 p．m．（VCR）
John Grisham＇s The Rain－
maker $\star \star \star$（＇97）Matt Damon．
PG－13）135m．（MAX）Mon．3：45 p．m．（CC）（S）
Journey to the Center of the
Earth $\star \star \star$（＇59）Pat Boone．（G） 120m．（SCIFI）Sun． 3 a．m． VCR）
Joy of Living $\star \star \star$（＇38）Irene Dunne．（NR）120m．（TCM）Mon． 10 a．m．（VCR）
The Junction Boys $\star \star \star$（＇02） Tom Berenger．（NR）120m． （ESPN2）Sun． 7 p．m．

## K

Kalifornia $\star \star \star$（＇93）Brad Pitt． （R）120m．（FX）Tue． 11 a．m．； 2 a．m．（VCR）
The Karate Kid $\star \star \star$（＇84） Ralph Macchio．（PG）135m． （TMC）Mon．5：45 p．m．；Fri．8：30 a．m．； 8 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
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Lady for a Day $\star \star \star \star$（＇33） Warren William．Runyonesque gambler transforms elderly apple seller．（NR）105m．（TCM）Sat． 2：15 a．m．（VCR）
Last Embrace $\star \star \star$（＇79）Roy Scheider．（R）105m．（FLIX）Thu． 3 a．m．（VCR）
The Last Kiss $\star \star \star$（＇01）Ste－ fano Accorsi．（R）120m．（TMC） Sat．3：25 a．m．（CC）（S）

The Last Picture Show „ぇぇぇ（＇71）Timothy Bottoms． Lives overlap in dying 1950s Texas town．（R）130m．（SHOW2） Thu．1：05 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
The Last Samurai $\star \star \star$（＇03）
Tom Cruise．（R）165m．（HBO） Mon． 8 p．m．；Thu． 1 a．m．（CC）（S）； （HBO2）Sun． 8 p．m．；3：30 a．m． CC）（S）（VCR）
The Last Seduction $\star \star \star$ （＇94）Linda Fiorentino．（R）109m． （AMC）Mon．10：30 p．m．；2：30 a．m．（VCR）
Laurel Canyon $\star \star \star$（＇02） Frances McDormand．（R）105m． （MAX2）Sun．1：35 a．m．（CC）（S）

Lawrence of Arabia |  |
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| $\star$ | ＇62）Peter O＇Toole．Life of flam－ boyant British officer T．E． Lawrence．（PG）240m．（TCM） Sun． 2 p．m．（CC）（VCR）

A League of Their Own $\star \star \star$
＇92）Tom Hanks．（PG）135m． （MAX）Sun．7：45 p．m．（CC）（S） （VCR）
Licence to Kill $\star \star$ »（＇89）Tim－ othy Dalton．（PG－13）180m． （SPIKE）Sat． 5 p．m．（CC）（S） VCR）
Little Man Tate $\star \star \star$（＇91） Jodie Foster．（PG）105m． （SHOW）Thu．2：15 p．m．（CC） S）；（SHOW2）Sat．1：15 p．m． CC）（S）（VCR）
Little Women $\star \star \star \star$（＇33） Katharine Hepburn．A New Eng－ lander raises her daughters dur－ ing the Civil War．（NR）120m． （TCM）Fri．6：15 a．m．（CC）（VCR） Live and Let Die $\star \star \star$（＇73） Roger Moore．（PG）180m． （SPIKE）Fri． 9 a．m．（CC）（S） VCR）
Lonely Are the Brave $\star \star \star$ ＇62）Kirk Douglas．（NR）107m． （AMC）Tue．9：15 a．m．（VCR）
The Longest Day $\star \star \star \star$（＇62） John Wayne．Allied forces invade WWII Normandy on D－Day．（G） 179m．（AMC）Sun．1：15 p．m． （VCR）
The Longest Yard $\star \star \star$（＇74） Burt Reynolds．（R）121m．（AMC） Wed． 5 p．m．；3：30 a．m．；Thu． 1 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Look Who＇s Talking $\star \star \star$
（＇89）John Travolta．（PG－13） 105m．（MAX2）Thu．12：30 p．m． （CC）（S）（VCR）
The Lord of the Rings：The Fellowship of the Ring $\star \star \star$ （＇01）Elijah Wood．（PG－13）225m． TNT）Sun．4：15 p．m．（CC）
The Lords of Flatbush $\star \star \star$ （＇74）Perry King．（PG）90m． （FLIX）Fri．2：35 p．m．；2：15 a．m． （CC）（VCR）
The Lost Boys $\star \star \star$（＇87）Ja－ son Patric．（R）105m．（MAX2） Fri． 4 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Love Actually $\star \star \star$（＇03）Alan Rickman．（R）140m．（HBO）Tue． 4：25 a．m．；Fri． 8 p．m．（CC）（S） （VCR）
Love Affair $\star \star \star$（＇39）Irene Dunne．（NR）90m．（TCM）Mon． 12 p．m．（VCR）
Love and Death on Long Is－ land $\star \star \star$（＇97）John Hurt．（PG－ 13） 105 m ．（HBO）Wed．2：30 p．m． （CC）（S）（VCR）

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1. Peter of "Mission:

Impossible"
6. McBain and McMahon
9. "Beverly Hills
12. "Family Ties" mom
13. "The _ Patrol"
14. "Falcon Crest" co-star Alicia
15. Diamond of "Night Court"
16. Actress/director Lupino
17. Actor Alejandro
18. Cable TV station
20. Ryan of no-hitters
22. "_ in the Family"
25. Carson's predecessor
27. "Gilligan's Island" costar Alan
28. "Leave It to $\qquad$
30. "Born in the $\qquad$
32. 1995 Robert De Niro movie
33. First or last word of an Edward R. Murrow program
37. Wolf Blitzer's employer
38. Stritch or May
39. "Star __: Voyager"
42. Holliman of "Police Woman"
44. Knight of "Too Close for Comfort"
45. Comic Mandel
47. "One __ Beyond"
49. Vigoda of "Fish"
50. Dick __ Patten
52. Schilling and Flood
56. "Shop __ You Drop"
57. "People __ Funny"
58. Cameron or Russell
59. Sketch comedy show's letters
60. "To _ , with Love"
61. Anthology series, "_Theatre"

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1. Paul of guitars
2. Diminutive ending
3. Jean Vander
4. "Gomer Pyle, __"
5. "Dead Man Walking" star
6. Susan Lucci's soap character
7. "Major _"
8. Kyle's friend on "South Park"
9. "Cheers" waitress
10. Actor Patrick
11. Golfer Stewart
12. Family name on .Raymond"
13. Scarlett's last name
14. Natl. TV network
15. Thompson or DeLaria
16. "Viva __ Vegas!"
17. Actor Everett
18. Lewis of "NewsRadio"


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31. Connie of "Hotel"
32. Take a chair
33. "_ Day at a Time"
34. Jagger film, "__ Kelly"
35. __ all folks!
36. Batman's partner
37. "The Seven Year Itch"
co-star
38. "Lou Grant" star Ed
39. Gabor and Tanguay
40. Linda of "Matlock"
41. Onassis, to pals
42. Charles S. Dutton sitcom
43. Reiser sitcom, "My Dads"
44. Lloyd Bridges series, "_Hunt"
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## MOVIES

Lucas $\star \star \star$（＇86）Corey Haim （PG－13）120m．（WE）Thu． 8 p．m．； 2 a．m．；Fri．1：30 p．m．（VCR）

## M

Magnum Force $\star \star \star$（＇73） Clint Eastwood．（R） 130 m ． （MAX）Tue．3：20 a．m．（CC）（S） （VCR）
The Man in the Moon $\star \star \star$ （＇91）Sam Waterston．（PG－13） 135m．（CMTV）Tue． 8 p．m．； 11 p．m．（VCR）
The Man Who Came to Din－ ner $\star \star \star$（＇41）Monty Woolley， （NR）120m．（TCM）Thu．9：30 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
March of the Wooden Sol－ diers $\star \star \star$（＇34）Stan Laurel． （NR）120m．（WGN）Sun． 1 p．m．； Mon． 8 p．m．；Sat． 4 p．m．（VCR）
Marvin＇s Room $\star \star \star$（＇96） Meryl Streep．（PG－13）100m （HBO2）Sun．10：45 p．m．（CC） （S）（VCR）
Mask $\star \star \star$（＇85）Eric Stoltz． （PG－13）120m．（AMC）Mon． 10：45 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
Master of the Flying Guillo－ tine $\star \star$＊（＇75）Jimmy Wang Yu （R） 90 m ．（SHOW2）Wed． $4: 25$ a．m．（VCR）
The Matrix $\star \star \star$（＇99）Keanu Reeves．（R）150m．（MAX）Fri． 5 p．m．（CC）（S）；（MAX2）Mon．6：30 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
The Matrix Reloaded $\star \star \star$ （＇03）Keanu Reeves．（R）150m （MAX）Mon． 10 a．m．；Fri．7：30 p．m．（CC）（S）
Max Dugan Returns $\star \star \star$ （＇83）Marsha Mason．（PG）98m （AMC）Wed．6：30 a．m．（VCR）
Mean Girls $\star \star \star$（＇04）Lindsay Lohan．（PG－13）120m．（IND3） Sun．2：30 a．m．；Mon． 8 a．m．；Tue 10：30 a．m．；Wed． 10 a．m．；Thu． 2 p．m．； 12 a．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Meet John Doe $\star \star \star$（＇41） Gary Cooper．（NR）135m．（TCM） Sat． 10 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Meet Me in St．Louis $\star \star \star \star$ （＇44）Judy Garland．A lawyer＇s family attends the 1904 World＇s Fair．（NR）120m．（TCM）Fri． 10 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Meet the Parents $\star \star \star$（＇00） Robert De Niro．（PG－13）120m． （USA）Sun． 1 p．m．；8：30 p．m （CC）
Men in Black $\star \star \star$（＇97）Tom－ my Lee Jones．（PG－13）120m． （TNT）Sun． 8 p．m．； 10 p．m．（CC） （VCR）
Midnight Express $\star \star \star$（＇78） Brad Davis．（R） 150 m ．（HIST） Sun． 1 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Midnight Run $\begin{gathered}\star \star \star \\ \text {（＇88）}\end{gathered}$ Robert De Niro．（R）150m （BRAVO）Fri．3：30 a．m．（VCR）
A Mighty Wind $\star \star \star$（＇03）Bob Balaban．（PG－13）90m．（MAX） Mon．12：30 p．m．（CC）（S）
Miracle on 34th Street（Col－ or） $\begin{aligned} & \\ & \star \star \\ & \text {（＇47）Maureen }\end{aligned}$ O＇Hara．An adwoman＇s boyfriend defends Macy＇s Santa in court． （NR）94m．（AMC）Fri． 6 a．m．； 8 a．m．； 10 a．m．； 12 p．m．； 2 p．m．； 4 p．m．； 6 p．m．； 8 p．m．； 10 p．m．； 12 a．m．； 2 a．m．； 4 a．m．（VCR）

The Miracle Woman $\star \star \star$ （＇31）Barbara Stanwyck．（NR） 120m．（TCM）Sat． 4 a．m．（VCR）
Mississippi Burning $\star \star \star$ （88）Gene Hackman．（R）135m． （TMC）Thu． 8 p．m．（CC）（S） （VCR）
Mona Lisa $\star \star \star$（＇86）Bob Hoskins．（R）105m．（SHOW） Mon．12：15 p．m．（VCR）
Monster $\star \star \star$（＇03）Charlize Theron．（R） 120 m ．（SHOW） Wed． 10 p．m．（CC）（S）
Moonstruck $\star \star \star \star$（＇87）Cher An Italian－American widow loves her fiance＇s brother．（PG） 120 m ． （WE）Fri． 8 p．m．； 3 a．m．；Sat． 6 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Moscow on the Hudson ＊ᄎぇ（＇84）Robin Williams．（R） 120m．（SHOW）Wed．1：45 p．m． CC）（S）；（SHOW2）Fri． 1 a．m． （CC）（S）（VCR）
Moulin Rouge $\star \star \star \star$（＇52） Jose Ferrer．The life of French painter Toulouse－Lautrec．（NR） 120m．（TMC）Wed． 9 a．m．；5：55 a．m．（S）（VCR）
Mr．Deeds Goes to Town $\star \star \star \star$（＇36）Gary Cooper．A poet inherits an unwanted $\$ 20$ million．（NR）120m．（TCM）Sat． 8 p．m．（VCR）
Mr．Holland＇s Opus $\star \star \star$（＇95） Richard Dreyfuss．（PG）150m． （HBO2）Fri．1：30 p．m．；9：45 p．m． （CC）（S）（VCR）
The Muppet Christmas Carol
„ᄎぇ（＇92）Michael Caine．（G） 120m．（DISN）Wed． 8 p．m．（CC） （S）；（FAM）Sat． 12 p．m．（VCR）
The Muse $\star \star \star$（＇99）Albert Brooks．（PG－13）105m．（HBO） Thu．1：45 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
My Dog Skip $\star \star \star$（＇00） Frankie Muniz．（PG）95m． 2 Sat． 8 p．m．（CC）（S）； 5 Sat． 8 p．m．（CC）（S）； 7 Sat． 8 p．m （CC）（S）（VCR）
Mystic River $\star \star \star$（＇03）Sean Penn．（R）140m．（HBO）Sun． 10：05 p．m．；Wed．12：10 a．m． （CC）（S）（VCR）

## N

The Naked Gun：From the Files of Police Squad！$\star \star \star$ （＇88）Leslie Nielsen．（PG－13） 90m．（HBO）Sun．3：30 p．m．（CC） The Naked Spur $\star \star \star$（＇53） James Stewart．（NR）120m． （TCM）Mon． 12 a．m．（CC）（VCR） National Lampoon＇s Vaca－ tion $\star \star \star$（＇83）Chevy Chase （R）120m．（WTBS）Sun．8：15 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
Nevada Smith $\star \star \star$（＇66） Steve McQueen．（NR） 135 m ． （AMC）Sat． 8 a．m．（VCR）
Nicholas Nickleby $\star \star \star$（＇02） Jamie Bell．（PG）135m．（TMC） Tue．8：30 a．m．；Sat．10：15 a．m． （CC）（S）
The Night They Raided Min－ sky＇s $\star \star \star$（＇68）Jason Ro－ bards．（PG）105m．（FLIX）Mon． 11：30 a．m．（VCR）
The Nitwits $\star \star \star$（＇35）Bert Wheeler．（NR）90m．（TCM）Wed 8：30 a．m．

No Way Out $\star \star \star$（＇87）Kevin
Costner．（R）115m．（A\＆E）Sun． 8 p．m．； 12 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
Nurse Betty $\star \star \star$（＇OO）Morgan Freeman．（R）150m．（USA）Wed． 3：30 p．m．（CC）

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One Magic Christmas $\star \star \star$ （＇85）Mary Steenburgen．（G） 120m．（HALL）Sun． 1 p．m．（CC） （VCR）
Osama $\star \star \star$（＇03）Marina Gol－ bahari．（PG－13）90m．（SHOW） Sun．4：45 p．m．；（SHOW2）Mon． 6：15 a．m．； 4 p．m．；Thu． 2 p．m． （VCR）
Other People＇s Money $\star \star \star$ （＇91）Danny DeVito．（R）105m． （HBO2）Sat．2：25 a．m．（CC）（S） （VCR）
Owning Mahowny $\star \star \star$（＇03） Philip Seymour Hoffman．（R） 115m．（HBO）Fri．5：05 a．m．（CC） （S）

## P

Pacific Heights $\star \star \star$（＇90） Melanie Griffith．（R） 120 m ． （BRAVO）Thu． 5 p．m．； 2 a．m． （VCR）
The Package $\star \star \star$（＇89）Gene Hackman．（R）115m．（TMC）Fri． 4：05 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Parenthood $\star \star \star$（＇89）Steve Martin．（PG－13）135m．（TCM） Wed． 10 p．m．（VCR）
The Passion of the Christ „ᄎぇ（＇04）Jim Caviezel．（R） 150m．（IND3）Sun． 1 p．m．；Sat． 1 p．m．（S）（VCR）
Patriot Games $\star \star \star$（＇92）Har－ rison Ford．（R）120m．（MAX） Mon． 6 p．m．；5：15 a．m．；Sat． 8 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Peggy Sue Got Married $\star \star \star$ （＇86）Kathleen Turner．（PG－13） 105m．（HBO2）Sat．5：15 p．m． （CC）（VCR）
Penny Serenade $\star \star \star$（＇41） Irene Dunne．（NR）120m．（TCM） Mon．1：30 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Period of Adjustment $\star \star \star$ （＇62）Tony Franciosa．（NR）120m． （TCM）Fri． 6 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Personal Best $\star \star \star$（＇82） Mariel Hemingway．（R） 130 m ． （MAX）Thu．3：50 a．m．（CC） （VCR）
Planes，Trains \＆Automo－ biles $\star \star \star$（＇87）Steve Martin． （R）105m．（HBO2）Fri． 4 p．m． （CC）（S）（VCR）
The Pledge $\star \star \star$（＇01）Jack Nicholson．（R）150m．（TNT）Thu． 2 a．m．
The Pope of Greenwich Vil－ lage $\star \star \star$（＇84）Eric Roberts． （R）120m．（FLIX）Wed．9：45 p．m． （CC）（VCR）
Prancer $\star \star \star$（＇89）Sam Elliott． （G）120m．（FAM）Thu． 8 p．m． （VCR）
Pressure Point $\star \star \star$（＇62）Sid－ ney Poitier．（NR） 90 m ．（FLIX） Sun．2：15 p．m．；Fri．11：30 a．m． （VCR）
Pride of the Marines $\star \star \star$ （＇45）John Garfield．（NR） 120 m ． （TCM）Thu．4：15 a．m．（CC）

The Princess Bride $\star \star \star$ （＇87）Cary Elwes．（PG）120m． （VH1）Wed． 11 p．m．（S）（VCR）


Q \＆A $\star \star \star$（＇90）Nick Nolte．（R） 180m．（BRAVO）Tue． 3 a．m． （VCR）
Quiz Show＊ᄎぇ（＇94）John Turturro．（PG－13）135m．（SHOW） Fri．12：30 p．m．；2：45 a．m．（CC） （S）（VCR）
Quo Vadis $\star \star \star$（＇51）Robert Taylor．（NR）180m．（TCM）Thu． 3 p．m．（CC）（VCR）

## R

The Ring $\star \star \star$（＇02）Naomi Watts．（PG－13）120m．（MAX2） Sun．10：15 a．m．； 9 p．m．（CC）（S）
Roberta＊＊ぇ（＇35）Irene Dunne．（NR）105m．（TCM）Mon． 6：15 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
Rolling Kansas $\star \star \star$（＇03）
Charlie Finn．（R）120m．（COM） Mon． 3 p．m．；Tue． 8 a．m．（CC） （VCR）
Roman Holiday $\star \star \star$（＇53）
Gregory Peck．（NR） 120 m ．
（MAX2）Thu． 7 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
Romeo and Juliet $\star \star \star$（＇68） Leonard Whiting．（PG） 150 m ． （FLIX）Sun．3：45 p．m．；4：05 a．m．； ri．6：55 a．m．；5：35 p．m．（CC） （VCR）
Runaway Jury $\star \star \star$（＇03）John Cusack．（PG－13）135m．（MAX） Sun．3：15 p．m．；Sat．10：45 a．m． （CC）（S）

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The Santa Clause $\star \star \star$（＇94） Tim Allen．（PG）97m． 4 Thu． 8 p．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Sayonara $\star \star \star$（＇57）Marlon Brando．（NR）150m．（TMC）Thu． 12 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
Scent of a Woman $\star \star \star$（＇92） Al Pacino．（R）157m．（A\＆E）Sat． 8 p．m．； 12 a．m．（CC）（VCR）
The School of Rock $\star \star \star$ （＇03）Jack Black．（PG－13）120m． （SHOW）Sat． 8 p．m．； 4 a．m．（CC） （S）；（SHOW2）Thu． 9 a．m．； 7 p．m．（CC）（S）
Sea of Love $\star \star \star$（＇89）Al Pa－ cino．（R） 112 m ．（AMC）Mon． 3：45 p．m．（VCR）
The Sea Wolves：The Last Charge of the Calcutta Light Horse $\star \star \star$（＇ 80 ）Gregory Peck． （PG）180m．（HIST）Sun． 10 a．m． （CC）
Seabiscuit $\star \star \star$（＇03）Tobey Maguire．（PG－13）140m．（MAX） Wed．5：30 p．m．（CC）（S）
Searching for Debra Winger ＊ᄎぇ（＇02）（R）105m．（SHOW） Mon． 2 p．m．；Fri． 9 a．m．（CC）（S）； （SHOW2）Sun．3：30 p．m．；4：30 a．m．；Sat．2：05 a．m．（CC）（S）
The Secret Garden $\star \star \star$（＇93） Kate Maberly．（G）105m．（HBO2） Sat． 6 a．m．（CC）（S）（VCR）
Sgt．Bilko $\star \star \star$（＇96）Steve Martin．（PG）120m．（USA）Tue． 6 p．m．（CC）（VCR）
The Shape of Things $\star \star \star$ （＇03）Gretchen Mol．（R） 110 m ． （HBO2）Sat．4：10 a．m．（CC）（S）

## MOVIES

Shattered Glass $\star \star \star$ ('03) Hayden Christensen. (PG-13) 105m. (HBO) Wed. 4:15 p.m. (CC) (S)

Shenandoah $\quad \star \star \star$ ('65) James Stewart. (NR) 105m. (AMC) Sat. 10:45 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
The Shootist $\star \star \star$ ('76) John Wayne. (PG) 120m. (TCM) Mon. 8 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
The Shop Around the Corner $\star \star \star$ ('40) Margaret Sullavan. (NR) 120m. (TCM) Fri. 2 a.m. (CC) (VCR)

Show Boat $\star \star \star$ ('36) Irene Dunne. (NR) 120m. (TCM) Mon. 8 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Sign o' the Times $\star \star \star$ ('87) Prince. (PG-13) 90m. (SHOW) Thu. 2 a.m. (CC) (S); (SHOW2) Mon. 2:35 p.m.; 5 a.m.; Fri. 1:45 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

Silver Streak $\star \star \star$ ('76) Gene Wilder. (PG) 113m. (AMC) Thu. 3:30 p.m. (VCR)
Silverado $\star \star \star$ ('85) Kevin Kline. (PG-13) 180m. (BRAVO) Tue. 8 p.m.; 12 a.m.; Wed. 4 p.m.; Fri. 12:30 a.m.; Sat. 3 p.m. (VCR)
Since You Went Away $\star \star \star$ ('44) Claudette Colbert. (NR) 180m. (TCM) Fri. 11:30 a.m. (CC) (VCR)

Smokey and the Bandit $\star \star \star$ ('77) Burt Reynolds. (PG) 96m. (AMC) Thu. 8 p.m.; 12 a.m.; 4 a.m.; (WGN) Sun. 8 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
The Snake Pit $\star \star \star$ ('48) Olivia de Havilland. (NR) 108m. (AMC) Mon. 8:30 a.m. (VCR)
The Snapper $\star \star \star$ ('93) Colm Meaney. (R) 105m. (SHOW) Wed. 12 p.m. (S) (VCR)
Solaris $\star \star \star$ ('02) George Clooney. (PG-13) 105m. (HBO) Tue. 9:45 a.m.; Fri. 11 a.m. (CC) (S)

Soldier's Girl $\star \star \star$ ('03) Troy Garity. (R) 120m. (SHOW2) Sun. 9 p.m.; Wed. 11 p.m. (CC) (S)
Some Kind of Wonderful $\star \star \star$ ('87) Eric Stoltz. (PG-13) 120m. (WE) Sat. 2:30 a.m. (VCR)
Some Like It Hot $\star \star \star \star$ ('59) Tony Curtis. Two guys on the run pose as members of all-girl band. (NR) 150m. (TCM) Sun. 6 p.m. (CC) (VCR)

## The Sound of Music $\star \star \star \star$

 ('65) Julie Andrews. A governess charms an Austrian widower and his kids. (G) 174m. 4 Sat. 8 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)The Spy Who Loved Me $\star \star \star$ ('77) Roger Moore. (PG) 180m. (SPIKE) Fri. 12 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Stand and Deliver $\star \star \star$ ('88) Edward James Olmos. (PG) 110m. (MAX2) Sun. 12:15 p.m. (CC) (VCR)

Stand by Me $\begin{gathered}\text { ® } \\ \text { (' } \\ \text { ('86) Wil }\end{gathered}$ Wheaton. (R) 120m. (TNT) Fri. 4 a.m. (CC) (VCR)

Standing in the Shadows of Motown $\begin{aligned} & \star \star \\ & \text { t ('02) (PG) } 120 \mathrm{~m} \text {. }\end{aligned}$ (SHOW) Tue. 9 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

Steamboat Bill, Jr. $\star \star \star$ ('28) Buster Keaton. (NR) 75m. (TCM) Sun. 3:15 a.m. (VCR)
The Stepfather $\star \star \star$ ('87) Terry O'Quinn. (R) 90m. (SHOW2) Mon. 1:35 a.m. (S) (VCR)
Stevie $\star \star \star$ ('02) (R) 160m. (MAX2) Fri. 4:50 a.m. (CC) (S)
Stoked: The Rise and Fall of Gator $\star \star \star$ ('03) (R) 90 m . (SHOW) Wed. 1 a.m. (CC) (S); (SHOW2) Tue. 10:45 p.m. (CC) (S)

Stranger Than Paradise $\star \star \star$ ('84) John Lurie. (R) 95m. (FLIX) Sun. 2:30 a.m.; Fri. 8 p.m. (VCR)
The Stratton Story $\star \star \star$ ('49) James Stewart. (NR) 120m. (TCM) Mon. 5 a.m. (VCR)
Sunday, Bloody Sunday « $\star \star$ ('71) Glenda Jackson. (R) 120m. (FLIX) Wed. 1:30 a.m. (CC)

Swing Time |  |
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| ('36) Fred | Astaire. An engaged gambler/dancer falls for another woman. (NR) 105m. (TCM) Tue. 5:30 a.m. (VCR)

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Tales of Terror $\star \star \star$ ('62) Vincent Price. (NR) 95m. (FLIX) Tue. 1 p.m.; 4:50 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Terminal Velocity $\star \star \star$ ('94) Charlie Sheen. (PG-13) 105m. (SHOW2) Wed. 6:45 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

Terminator 3: Rise of the Machines $\star \star \star$ ('03) Arnold Schwarzenegger. (R) 115 m . (HBO) Tue. 1:35 a.m. (CC) (S)
That Thing You Do! $\star \star \star$ ('96) Tom Everett Scott. (PG) 120m. (HBO) Mon. 10:30 a.m.; Fri. 1 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

Thief $\star \star \star$ ('81) James Caan. (R) 125 m . (SHOW) Tue. 12:30 a.m.; (SHOW2) Wed. 12:55 a.m (S) (VCR)

The Thin Blue Line $\star \star \star \star$ ('88) Filmmaker Errol Morris studies a 1976 Dallas slaying. (NR) 120m. (COURT) Sun. 4 p.m. (VCR)

Things Change $\star \star \star$ ('88) Don Ameche. (PG) 105m. (MAX) Tue. 7:15 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
This Boy's Life $\star \star \star$ ('93) Robert De Niro. (R) 120m. (MAX2) Mon. 4 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Three Godfathers $\star \star \star$ ('48) John Wayne. (NR) 120m. (TCM) Fri. 8:15 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Three Godfathers $\star \star \star$ ('36) Chester Morris. (NR) 90 m . (TCM) Thu. 1:30 a.m. (CC)
The Three Musketeers $\star \star \star$ ('39) Don Ameche. (NR) 73m. (AMC) Tue. 7:45 a.m. (VCR)
Thunderball $\star \star \star$ ('65) Sean Connery. (PG) 180m. (SPIKE) Fri. 3 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Thunderheart $\star \star \star$ ('92) Val Kilmer. (R) 120m. (MAX) Tue. 4:30 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Time Out $\star \star \star$ ('01) Aurelien Recoing. (PG-13) 145m. (TMC) Thu. 8 a.m. (CC) (S)

To Have and Have Not „ $\star \star \star$ ('44) Humphrey Bogart. A skipper fools Nazis and flirts with a singer on Martinique. (NR) 120m. (TCM) Sun. 8 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Tombstone $\star \star \star$ ('93) Kurt Russell. (R) 135 m . (SHOW) Sun. 12:30 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Toto the Hero $\star \star \star$ ('91) Michel Bouquet. (PG-13) 95m. (FLIX) Thu. 6:30 a.m.; 8 p.m. (VCR)
Trading Places $\star \star \star$ ('83) Dan Aykroyd. (R) 120m. (HBO2) Mon. 9 a.m. (CC) (VCR)

The Train |  |
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| 㐫 ('65) Burt | Lancaster. Railroad boss derails Nazi colonel to save French art. (NR) 150m. (TCM) Tue. 12 p.m. (VCR)

Tribute $\star \star \star$ ('01) (NR) 90m. (SHOW2) Sat. 11:45 a.m. (CC) (S)

12 Angry Men $\star \star \star \star$ ('57) Henry Fonda. Lone juror holds out in slum boy's murder trial. (NR) 100m. (TMC) Fri. 2:25 p.m.; 5:15 a.m. (VCR)
24 Hour Party People $\star \star \star$ ('02) Steve Coogan. (R) 120m. (SHOW2) Sun. 12:30 a.m. (CC) (S)

Twins $\quad \star \star \star$ ('88) Arnold Schwarzenegger. (PG) 120m. (FX) Mon. 8 p.m.; Tue. 4 p.m. (VCR)
Two Mules for Sister Sara $\star \star \star$ ('70) Shirley MacLaine. (PG) 105m. (AMC) Tue. 8 p.m.; Sat. 3:45 p.m. (CC) (VCR)
2001: A Space Odyssey $\star \star \star \star$ ('68) Keir Dullea. Supercomputer HAL guides astronauts on ultimate trip. (G) 140 m . (MAX) Thu. 6:40 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Two Weeks in Another Town $\star \star \star$ ('62) Kirk Douglas. (NR) 120m. (TCM) Thu. 11 a.m. (CC)

## U

The Unforgiven $\star \star \star$ ('60) Burt Lancaster. (NR) 125m. (FLIX) Thu. 2:30 p.m.; 4:45 a.m. (VCR)
The Untouchables $\star \star \star \star$ ('87) Kevin Costner. Eliot Ness and men fight Al Capone in Chicago. (R) 120m. (HBO2) Mon. 1:30 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Up Close and Personal $\star \star \star$ ('96) Robert Redford. (PG-13) 135m. (HBO2) Fri. 5:45 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
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What Happened Was ... $\star \star \star$ ('94) Karen Sillas. (R) 100 m . (TMC) Sun. 7:45 a.m. (S) (VCR) When Harry Met Sally ... $\star \star \star$ ('89) Billy Crystal. (R) 120m. (WE) Sat. 8 p.m. (VCR)
The White Cliffs of Dover $\star \star \star$ ('44) Irene Dunne. (NR) 135m. (TCM) Mon. 5:45 p.m. (CC) (VCR)

White Heat $\star \star \star$ ('49) James Cagney. (NR) 120m. (MAX) Mon. 6 a.m. (CC) (VCR)

White Oleander $\star \star \star$ ('02) Alison Lohman. (PG-13) 120m. (HBO) Thu. 6 p.m. (CC) (S)

The Wild Thornberrys Movie ฝ $\star$ » ('02) Lacey Chabert. (PG)

90m. (SHOW) Sun. 7:05 a.m.;
Sat. 1:30 p.m. (CC) (S);
(SHOW2) Mon. 12:45 p.m. (CC) (S)

Winchester '73 $\star \star \star$ ('50) James Stewart. (NR) 92m. (AMC) Sat. 8 p.m.; 2 a.m. (VCR) The Witches of Eastwick $\star \star \star$ ('87) Jack Nicholson. (R) 120m. (MAX) Thu. 9 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)

The Wizard of Oz $\star \star \star \star$ ('39) Judy Garland. Tornado whisks a Kansas farm girl to a magic land. (G) 101m. 22 Sun. 7:30 p.m. (CC) (S)

Woman of the Year $\star \star \star$ ('42) Katharine Hepburn. (NR) 120m.
(TCM) Tue. 3:30 a.m. (CC) (VCR)
Working Girl $\star \star \star$ ('88)
Melanie Griffith. (R) 150 m .
(BRAVO) Mon. 2 a.m.; Tue. 4:30
p.m. (VCR)

The World Is Not Enough $\star \star \star$ ('99) Pierce Brosnan. (PG-
13) 180m. (SPIKE) Sat. 8 p.m.;

12 a.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Wuthering Heights $\star \star \star$ ('70)
Anna Calder-Marshall. (G)
105m. (FLIX) Sun. 12:30 p.m.
VCR)

## X

X2: X-Men United $\star \star \star$ ('03)
Patrick Stewart. (PG-13) 135m.
(MAX2) Tue. 10 a.m.; Sat. 10:35 a.m.; 9 p.m. (CC) (S)


Year of the Bull $\star \star \star$ ('03) (NR) 90m. (SHOW) Tue. 11 p.m. (CC); (SHOW2) Wed. 3:30 p.m.; 5:55 a.m. (CC)
You Only Live Twice $\star \star \star$ ('67) Sean Connery. (PG) 180m. (SPIKE) Fri. 6 p.m. (CC) (S) (VCR)
Yours, Mine and Ours $\star \star \star$ ('68) Lucille Ball. (NR) 120m.
(TCM) Wed. 8 p.m. (VCR)



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